



## CITY GOVERNMENT.

## THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN READ ELECTION RETURNS.

The board of aldermen held its first meeting after the summer vacation, Tuesday evening. All the members were present and in the absence of Mayor Burr, President Pettie occupied the chair.

## THE ELECTION RETURNS.

The first business was the reading of election returns from the different wards. For alderman from Ward Seven the votes were as follows:

Wards.	E. S. Hamblen.	Scattering.
1	10	7
2	22	3
3	8	0
4	2	0
5	53	0
6	9	1
7	28	0

For councilman from Ward Five E. L. Collins received 53 votes, all that were cast.

The board will meet next Monday evening to declare the result of the election.

## OTHER MATTERS.

James Scannell of Allston was licensed as a junk dealer.

M. Cavanaugh gave notice of intention to build a house, corner of Middle and West streets, 65 by 30 feet; Sarah E. Huestis, house on Woodbine street, and Wm. Leonard and James Delacy, also gave notice of intention to build.

Austin Sanders and other residents on Clinton Terrace asked to have their walks concreted.

Residents on South street asked for street lamps on that street.

Chas. A. Wyman, Fisher Ames, and other residents of Temple street protested against allowing posts to be put up on that street for any purpose.

G. M. Rice, Sumner street, asked for concrete walks in front of his estate.

A. J. Fiske and Co. asked for concrete walks on Watertown street.

Theodore L. Mason asked for license to move building, 22 by 23, with 12 foot posts, from Watertown street, and want near his residence on Nonantum place.

Alderman Childs stated that there was some feeling in regard to the matter among the neighbors and on his motion a hearing was granted, Monday evening, Sept. 9th, at 8 o'clock.

Residents on South street asked for a plank walk from Hammond street to the Boston line. All referred to Highway committee.

Street lamps were asked to be restored on Adams street, near the Catholic church, taken away when the electric light was put up.

Two street lamps were asked for on Parker street; referred to lamp committee.

J. A. Delacy asked for license to build stable on Bourne street, for two horses; Geo. B. Wilson, stable for 12 horses on Clark street; M. Z. Green, stores and tenement, corner of Washington and Washington streets; D. H. McWain, stores and tenement on Pelham street, all passed under suspension of the rules.

At this point Alderman Pettie called on Alderman Childs to take the chair, as he wished to leave for Boston.

Alderman Childs modestly suggested that it would be better to call on an older member, instead of a mere infant, as it were, in city experience. Alderman Johnson said give the infant a chance, with which encouragement Alderman Childs took the chair and made a very acceptable and business-like reading of the report.

E. W. Hodgdon asked for license to build harness shop and tenement in front of his residence on Washington street, Ward Two; granted.

## THE STREET RAILWAY.

Alderman Harbach presented the petition of the Newton Street Railway company, for leave to extend their tracks from Washington through Crafts street, to the electric light station, and also to build their tracks one side of the street, instead of in the center of Washington street. A hearing was granted on the two points for Monday evening, Sept. 10th, at 8 o'clock.

The company also asked to be allowed to lay their rails without chairs, and to concrete between the tracks instead of macadamize, where it was thought desirable.

These two latter points were referred to a committee of three, appointed by the chair—Aldermen Harbach, Johnson and Tolman.

President Geo. W. Morse said that on the two latter points the company would like to be heard to night, as it was quite important to have those matters decided, as if chairs were to be bought, they wanted to order them at once. He presented an order which he had prepared, substituting a 45-pound rail for the 30-pound required, and laid without chairs, on concrete or oak ties, and filled in with concrete or oak ties, and should be deemed advisable, the whole to be done satisfactory to the aldermen, or highway committee.

Waltham and Watertown had, he said, granted the use of the 45-pound rail, and chairs were only needed where paving stones were used for tracks in Newton, but paving was not desirable in Newton and was a needless expense. He thought the practical questions arising as to the building of the road should be referred to some special committee, the board deciding about the general regulations.

He then called on Mr. Ferguson, who is a practical street railway builder, and in reply to Alderman Johnson, Mr. Ferguson said that chairs keep the rails up above the ties, but the rails would be firmer spiked right to the ties, in the same manner as the steam railway tracks were laid. Without chairs the filling would be 4 inches deep above the ties, and quite a depth between them.

Steel chairs could not be obtained anywhere, owing to the Johnstown flood, and iron chairs would have to be substituted in some places, as in the centre of the village, concrete would be better, and in other places, on the tracks in Newport and Attleboro, were putting down a 40-pound rail, and he thought a 45-pound rail would do for Newton. In reply to a question, he admitted that the West End company were using a heavier rail. The cost of concrete would be very much more if done by local parties, and he could not give the exact figures, but the company had sent for bids from outside parties.

Mr. Morse said he had just received figures from Gore & Co., and the cost of concrete would be \$4.24, and of macadam, \$3.50. The company intended to give Newton one of the best roads in the State in either case.

The changes were then referred to the special committee.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

J. J. Spain was granted an honorable discharge from No. 6 hose.

Alderman Johnson presented an order adding \$2,500 to the appropriation for the board of health, and charged to any unexpended balances, or to the taxes of 1890; referred to the finance committee.

A motion to pay H. W. Mason \$200 for work performed in making abstracts of deeds for the assessors, was referred to the committee on finance.

## NEWTON CENTRE PLAYGROUND.

Alderman Harbach presented an order, appropriating \$10,000 for the Ward Six playground, on condition that the land should be deeded to the city and that an equal amount be given by citizens of Newton Centre.

Alderman Chadwick called for the report of the committee on Planning. Alderman Johnson said that the chairman of the Park committee, Alderman Pettie, was away, but the changes that had been made, leaving out one corner of the proposed playground, which was separated from the rest and was a very small lot, cut down the expense of the lot from \$24,000 to \$20,000, and with this change he approved of the city's giving half the cost.

Alderman Chadwick asked if the Park committee did not recommend giving only \$6,000 or 25 per cent. of the cost. He thought that was the utmost that the city should do.

The special report was taken from the table, read and accepted, and Alderman Chadwick moved to make the city's contribution \$5,000.

The roll was called and the \$10,000 order was passed with Alderman Chadwick voting no, the vote standing 4 to 1.

Alderman Childs ruled that this was a two-thirds vote, there being no alderman from Ward Seven, although the citizens had indicated their preferences.

An order was passed for the posting of the notice of the street railway hearing and the advertising of it in both local papers, and on motion of Alderman Chadwick the board adjourned to Monday evening, Sept. 9th, at 7.15 o'clock.

## NEWTON FREE LIBRARY.

## LIST OF NEW BOOKS.

Abbott, W. J. Battle-Fields of '61; a Narrative of the Military Operations of the War for the Union up to the End of the Peninsula Campaign.	75.237
Adams, W. D. By-Ways in Book-Land; Short Essays on Literary Subjects.	52.433
Aesop. Fables for Little Readers; told by Mrs. Arthur Brookfield.	67.337
The familiar stories are reproduced in a form suited to the youngest readers.	
Barry, A. E. Feet of Clay.	62.726
Boyle, J. R. The last Town of the Humber; with an Introductory Chapter on the Roman Geography of South East Yorkshire.	74.239
Clifford, E. Father Damien; a Journey from Cashmere to his Home in Hawaii.	91.559
Joseph Damien de Venster was the missionary from Belgium who devoted himself to the care of the leper settlement from 1873 till his death last spring.	
Coolidge, W. A. B. Swiss Travel and Swiss Guide-Books.	34.326
An attempt to work out a new side of the history of travel in Switzerland—the development of guide-books and other means of travel.	
The second part traces out the history of the Alpine village of Zermatt.	
Dunton, L. Methods of Teaching Arithmetic in Primary Schools.	84.165
By the Head Master of the Boston Normal School.	
Fox, W. F. Regimental Losses in the American Civil War, 1861-5; a Treatise on the Extent and Nature of the Mortuary Losses in the Union Regiments, with statistics from the Official Records in the State Military Bureaus and at Washington.	77.106
Griffiths, A. B. Treatise on Manures, or the Philosophy of Manuring; a Practical Handbook for the Agriculturist, Manufacturer and Student.	102.503
Hannay, D. Life of Frederick Marryat.	91.534
Herdon, W. H., and Weik, J. W. Herdon's Lincoln; the True Story of a Great Life, the History and Personal Recollections of Abraham Lincoln. 3 vols.	91.563
Hissey, J. J. On the Box Seat; from London to Land's End.	37.152
Knowlton, J. S. C. Carl's Tour in Main Street.	31.284
First published in the Worcester Palladium of 1855, and written by one familiar with Worcester.	
Lietze, E. Modern Heliographic processes; Instruction in the use of Reproducing Drawings, Engravings, etc., by the Action of Light.	107.120
Little, H. W. Life and Work of Emin Pasha in Equatorial Africa.	94.478
Morley, H. Memoirs of Bartholomew Fair.	72.287
Mueller, F. Max. Natural Religion; the Gifford Lectures, delivered before University of Glasgow, 1888.	91.564
Munroe, K. The Golden Days of '49; a Tale of the California Diggings.	66.623
Playfair, Sir Lyon. Subjects of Social Welfare.	84.166
Contents. Part I. Public Health. Part II. Industry, Wealth. Part III. National Education.	
Rane, C. G. Psychology of a Natural Science, applied to the Solution of Occult Psychic Phenomena.	105.277
Ribot, T. Heredity; a Psychological Study of its Phenomena, Laws, Causes and Consequences.	103.485
Ross, J. The Land of Manfred, Prince of Tarentum and King of Sicily; Rambles in Remote Parts of Southern Italy. With Special Reference to their Historical Associations.	34.327
Slosson, A. T. Fishin' Jimmy.	62.727
Wilson, G. H. Musical Year-Book of the United States, Volume 6, Season of 1888-9.	51.431
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## BOOKS AND MAGAZINES.

## THE FORUM.

If there is no article of extraordinary weight or interest in the Forum for September, the number is yet one of average excellence. Perhaps an exception should be made of the opening paper by Mr. Thomas Hughes on "The Lost Leader," which is an able and brilliant presentation of the Unionist side of the Irish question, although the view taken of the outcome of the controversy is too pessimistic. But it has great value as a protest against the irrational admiration of Mr. Gladstone, right or wrong. Another paper of timely interest is that by the Rev. Washington Gladden, entitled "Can Our Social Ills Be Remedied?" Mr. Thomas G. Shearman writes of "Henry George's Mistakes"; Professor A. T. Hadley discusses "The Outlook for Industrial Peace"; and Mr. Charles F. Beach, Jr., gives some "Facts About Trusts." An interesting article is that of Professor Goldwin Smith on "The Spoils of Office," written, as he says from the point of a "bystander," but

he takes too depressing a view of the results of a real reform in the civil service.

## ST. NICHOLAS.

The readers of St. Nicholas will gladly welcome another article about little Helen Keller, with portraits of this charming little girl and her teacher, Miss Sullivan. Of "The Lamb that Couldn't Keep Up" it is sufficient to say that Mary Halleck Foote is the author. Thomas A. Jamier contributes a story, and Lucy Larncom, Harriet Prescott Spofford and others are present in their verses. The serial, "Among the Florida Keys" is continued in this number, and "Modern Harbor Defences," by Lieutenant Hamilton, is a most interesting article. One of the most attractive features of this magazine is the illustrations, which are always of the finest sort. Price \$3.00 a year. Single number 25 cents. Century Company, 33 East 17th street, New York.

## Miscellaneous.

THE DISCOVERY.  
When old Columbus with his ships  
About our country hovered,  
Each Indian maid with sprightly grace  
Skipped from the surly bathing place  
And cried with wonder-stricken face:  
"Great heavens! we're discovered!"  
—Philadelphia Press.

Sunday School Teacher—"Johnny, what part of the East did the Wise men come from?" Johnny—"From Harvard."  
—Puck.

A Fortunate Woman. "There," said the new lady of the castle, "are the graves of the former owner's ancestors. My ancestors," she added, proudly, "are all living!"—Harper's Magazine.

Table Attractions. Neighbor's Girl—"We're going to have watermelon and green corn for dinner." Our Girl—"That's nothing; we're going to have my aunt and cousin for dinner!"—Omaha World.

"Does this car go up Trumbull avenue?" he asked of the conductor. "Yes, sir," he got on at Woodward avenue. "Yes, sir," "How far is it to the end of the line?" "About two miles." "Will you be an hour and a half going up?" "About that; why?" "I'm going up there to see a widder. We've been courting for a year. We are engaged. I want to flunk out of it. I want time to collect my thoughts and get my excuses ready. An hour and a half will do pretty well, I guess, but make it two hours if you can. I'm a patron, you know, and the line order run for the benefit of patrons."—Detroit Free Press.

Mrs. Brown—"Is this hotel on the European plan?"  
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Mrs. B.—"I am not feeling hungry this morning. I think I'll merely take some coffee and rolls."  
Mr. B. (laying aside paper). "What were you asking me, my dear? On the European plan? No; it is not."  
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## A Question of Life and Death!

Gov. Ames in support of his position as a petitioner for free iron ore, free coke, and free coal, is reported as saying, "It is not a question of politics; it is a question of life and death." But the Protection-party evidently considers it a "question of life and death" also. Some weeks past we called attention to the words of Senator Sherman and Congressman McKinley and Goff on this point. Scarcely more than a year ago the Home Market Club in banquet assembled applauded the speakers just named for such statements as these:—

"But such a decision [free wool and free iron ore] would be an abandonment of the whole principle of protectionism. I assure you that it is a deadly station in the work of cutting down duties when once entered upon."

"You can't have free wool and free coal, and then have protected woolen and cotton goods. If you undermine the foundations, the structure will fall." And now the new Secretary of the Club, Albert Clarke, issued a letter under date Aug. 21, and reaffirms this extreme position. He declares free wool, free iron, free coal, etc., to be wedges which will "utterly separate and break down the party of protection." Let the battle rage. Col. Clarke has consistency on his side, and Gov. Ames common-sense on his. In the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred eighty and eight the name of Oliver Ames stood first on the list of vice-presidents of the Home Market Club! We commend to our bold Governor the following lines from a Puritan Poet as an appropriate reply to the challenge of the new Secretary:

"My sentence is for open war: of wiles, More unexpect, I boast not; then let those Contrive who need; or when they need, not now; For while they sit contriving, shall the rest, Millions that stand in arms, and long to wait The signal to ascend, sit lingering here And for their dwelling place Accept this dark popish den of shame?"

## A High Tariff Prophecy.

"The Free Traders tell us boldly and defiantly, through their organs and circular letters, that they have already begun to educate the people for the Congressional battle of next year, and the Presidential election of 1892. They are hard at work all over the country. In every State and every county, clubs are being formed or the Democratic clubs of last year are being utilized. The names of voters are gathered and sent to State headquarters and in return documents are sent for free distribution or are mailed direct. Members of the Cobden Club say that their membership in this country is constantly growing, and they are better prepared than ever to scatter the doctrines and theories of British Free Trade. The Mugwump press is not only active but aggressive and arrogant, and in opposition to all this, what is being done in the interests of Protection? Very little, we are compelled to admit, outside of that done by the AMERICAN PROTECTIVE TARIFF LEAGUE. And why this? Well, because we are 'tired of Tariff talk.' And suppose this apathy continues, what will be the result? It is not difficult to foresee. The victory of last November was won by too narrow a margin to be retained without struggle. Already the enemy is hard at work to overthrow the results of last fall. And they will have no difficulty if Protectionists remain 'tired of Tariff talk.' We shall soon find that we will have thrown away what we have gained, and the sequel will be a President, Senate and House, all in favor of Free Trade."

—American Economist, Aug. 9.

## China and America.

An anti-sewing-machine guild has been formed by the Chinese in New York. A Chinaman who had joined the party of progress and had been using the sewing machine was recently waited upon by a deputation from the guild, and requested to pay to its members 30 cents as compensation for using the "foreign devil." He refused, and was instantly assailed. The police saved his life, but he is not quite so eager now to use the sewing machine.

The Chinese are completely behind the times. An anti-sewing-machine guild! Why, here we have an anti-wool guild, an anti-iron guild, an anti-coal guild, an anti-salt guild, an anti-sugar guild, and one thousand other guilds, all rolled into one and called a Tariff. The agents of the guilds are called Customs House Officers, and the compensations levied are humorously called "duties." This "foreign devil" business is evidently in its infancy in China. By all means send a missionary to that benighted country.

## Three Times Its Cost.

There is no article of food or drink, regarding which the Public have been so deceived as Tea and now a most commendable war has been undertaken by a strong company of producers and capitalists to supply the people of the great United States with perfectly Pure Tea at a reasonable advance over the cost of production.

Give up drinking poor, adulterated and colored Tea, and drink only the O. & O. Tea which is worth three times its cost, and will have a more beneficial effect on the health of our people than any food reform of modern ages.

"You knew George Washington, didn't you?" he queried in a confidential way as he hitched up to a man in a Wood-ward avenue car. "No sir; I never did!" was the somewhat emphatic reply. "Well you may have heard of him, of course?"

"I may have." "You don't mean to say you never did hear of him?" "I refuse to commit myself, sir, until I know your object." "Oh, that's it. Well, if a fellow was hard up and went to Washington to borrow a dollar till Saturday night be—"

"That's enough, sir! I now declare that I never heard of George Washington, and his characteristics have no earthly interest to me. Good day, sir."—Detroit Free Press.

## THE TAX LISTS.

CITIZENS WHO PAY OVER \$200 TO THE CITY TREASURY.

The list of large tax-payers will be found below, but as some tax-payers have property in nearly every ward, the lists do not represent with exactness some of the larger tax-payers.

In the following table is given the way the taxable property and the polls are divided among the several wards, and also the amount which each ward pays. The total amount to raise this year is \$517,000.10, and the tax rate is \$14.80.

Wd.	Pol.	Personal	Real Estate	Tax
1	1,001	137	\$2,424,250	\$35,874
2	1,121	3	906,120	14,155
3	855	16	1,163,300	17,412
4	850	6	1,018,000	15,270
5	866	2	459,185	6,887
6	379	13	2,517,400	37,757
7	629	24	2,199,220	32,549
6185	78	\$9,264,372	\$25,390,500	\$325,298

The next table gives the number of houses, horses, cows, oxen and acres in the city, divided as follows:

Ward.	Houses.	Horses.	Cows.	Oxen.	Acres.	Sq. Ft.
1,	559	222	89	0	344	40,184
2,	862	257	122	0	861	25,420
3,	596	348	178	0	1090	14,835
4,	576	214	102	0	1685	28,238
5,	576	252	290	0	3313	35,645
6,	681	379	230	0	2074	13,905
7,	410	252	71	0	468	35,579
	4200	1924	1082	0	9835	193,806

The total of taxable property in the city, as discovered by the assessors, is \$34,664,672. The list is as follows:

## WARD ONE.

Adams, Mrs. Caroline P.	\$904.10
Alden, George E.	227.40
Allen, Isaac D.	231.40
Allison, James S., heirs.	222.36
Anderson, Ellen M.	102.22
Bacon, Joseph N.	349.28
Barker, Antoinette A.	310.80
Barker, Jonathan H.	318.42
Barker & Co.	222.00
Becker, Cecelia M.	222.00
Bodgett, Adelaide A.	222.00
Brackett, Albert	885.84
Brackett, Gilman	1267.40
Calkins, Rev. Volcott	102.20
Clapp, Julius M.	273.80
Cobb, Henry E., guardian	370.00
Cobb, Henry F.	1242.80
Cobb, Marshall N.	419.36
Coffin, Howard B.	309.84
Coffin, Lewis E.	222.00
Cole, Andrew, heirs	502.00
Converse, Edmund W.	1007.80
Crosey, George W.	185.00
Day, Emma R.	192.40
Emerson, D. R.	135.28
Emerson, Emma L. G.	251.60
Farquhar, Samuel	236.80
Farquhar, John C.	205.80
Farquhar, Alice H.	254.56
Graves, Chester H.	530.36
Hart, E. R.	190.92
Hart, Margaret F.	222.00
Hawes, Abby M.	222.00
Hawes, Mary P. and Alice F.	222.00
Joyce, John	212.42
Kenway, Alice	325.60
Laurens, Charles B.	222.00
Leeds, Benjamin I., guardian	444.00
Leonard, George	222.00
Lodge, George C.	414.40
Murphy, James B.	210.08
Newton Nat'l Bank, shares non-residents	1109.29
Newton & Watertown Gas Light Co.	1664.80
Payne, Adolph D.	214.40
Payne, Ward J.	224.00
Pearson, Margaret G.	211.64
Potter, John C.	1077.36
Potter, Mary H.	550.56
Riley, Agnes A.	303.40
Sawyer, Edward	459.32
Sawyer, Mrs. Anna H.	199.80
Soule, Helen L.	207.20
Soule, Edward W.	133.20
Spear, Edward	327.60
Stuart, Timothy	201.80
Wellington, Henry W.	271.36
Whitling, Lydia D.	212.40
Wheeler, Mary I.	222.00
Woods, H. J.	295.04

## WARD TWO.

Adams, Caroline J.	192.40
Brigham, Lucy A.	199.80
Brigham, Priscilla C.	213.64
Brown, Nelson H.	194.40
Carter, Timothy H.	209.48
Clark, William F.	174.04
Clark, Theodore M.	370.82
Craig, Laura B.	208.08
Curtis, John P.	222.00
Curtis, Sarah	266.40
Sanford, M. H., estate	277.88
W. L. DOUGLAS, BROCKTON, MASS.	184.04
E. de, Caleb F.	253.80
Edridge, Elizabeth T.	2160.80
Feld, Edwin	279.63
French, Marshall W.	222.00
French, Mrs. E. T.	102.40
Grant, Benjamin S.	102.40
Health, George C.	222.00
Higgins, Mrs. Lydia	266.40
Hunt, Otis E.	212.16
Kenne, Charles S.	303.40
Kimball, Ellen P.	303.40
Kimball, Matilda	205.72
Lozier, J. R. (heirs)	303.40
Lockett, John E.	194.40
McAdams, William	257.32
Mitchell, John A., trustee	1033.56
Mitchell, Louisa S.	310.80
Morse, Edward W. and A. R. Milton	310.80
Parker, Henrietta M.	577.20
Parker, Amanda A.	224.96
Phillips, Albert (heir)	175.36
Pulsifer, Charles S.	332.76
Pulsifer, Charles F. (heir)	197.36
Pulsifer, John	286.80
Reipath, Ellis	311.32
Richards, James L.	387.24
Rollins, Augustus	192.40
Rollins, F. S.	616.20
Ross, Charles E.	346.82
Ross, Henry F.	683.80
Rumery, Mary A.	189.44
Shaw, Lavonia	524.26
Simmons, Elizabeth J.	252.72
Soden, Arthur H.	224.96
Trowbridge, Malinda M.	192.40
Waterhouse, Francis A.	192.40
Wilson, Carrie C.	214.60
Wiswall, Edmund T.	308.64
Worcester, John	222.48

## WARD THREE.

Bacon, B. F.	815.40
Fiske, John	870.00
Fuller, Granville	569.12
Holmes, Eliza A.	473.80
Nonantum Worsted Co.	479.52

## WARD SEVEN.

Andrews, Justin	\$233.60
Bacon, B. F.	815.40
Bacon, J. N.	1025.56
Bailey, Eva L.	207.20
Baker, Marianna W.	570.80
Baker, Joshua	122.36
Barker, Abbie A.	244.20
Bilbush, Charles B.	1336.20
Bowman, Dexter D.	224.00
Brackett, Albert	239.76
Brackett, Wm. H.	293.36
Brooke, Harriet A.	370.00
Brooks, Lizzie	1154.40
Bullens, George S.	327.60
Bullens, Caroline A.	192.40
Burr, Isaac T.	3428.60
Bush, Geo. W.	1038.00
Buswell, Susan P.	422.32
Cape, Wm. H.	296.00
Chaffin, Edwin (heir)	185.00
Chaffin, John C. adm. M. D. Chaffin	131.32
Chaffin, John C. and E. O. Childs trustees	47.84
Chaffin, John C. and E. O. Childs trustees	1967.34
Chaffin, Henry (heir)	540.20
Coburn, Eleanor H., Trustee	347.80
Coburn, Eleanor H., Trustee	362.00
Coffin, John A.	1319.20
Cox, Harri T. B.	295.40
Crosby, U. C.	194.40
Cutler, John A.	408.20
Cutler, Anna W.	222.00
Cutting, Lucinda K.	584.60
Cutting, John G.	159.32
Dana, Luther	537.76
Daniels, Ada E.	278.60
Davis, Joshua (heir)	175.36
Dewey, Daniel	331.30
Dewey, Mary A.	210.80
Dewey, Daniel trustee	162.80
Ellison, Wm. P.	105.60
Ellison, Maria W.	177.60
Elms, J. C.	170.72
Elms, Martha J.	128.76
Emery, John B.	266.40
Farlow, John S.	3465.20
Farlow, Nancy W.	177.60
Farquhar, D. W.	327.60
Farquhar, Samuel	401.60
Field, L. Morge	303.40
Field, Henry M.	113.60
Field, Wm. E.	386.80
Fuller, Henry	511.12
Gardner, Sarah M. B.	372.00
Gay, Chas. M.	296.00
Gay, Nettie A.	296.00
Gay, Maria M.	296.00
Gay, Annie E.	269.52
Haley, John J.	364.60
Hall, S. A.	192.40
Hamblin, E. E.	234.36
Hamblin, Mary H.	226.80
Hamblin, John H.	372.00
Harwood, Seth K.	322.20
Harwood, Geo. S.	1632.20
Harwood, Ellen A.	296.00
Haskell, Chas. A.	469.40
Hatch, Catherine B.	244.20
Hibbard, H. E.	1038.80
Hitchcock, Abbie H.	473.60
Holmes, S. Well, trustee estate	473.60
Hobbs	370.00
Houlette, Elizabeth M.	207.20
Hunter, Lucy E.	222.00
Hall, Maria L.	244.20
Hyde, Olivia W.	300.44
Hyde, Geo. W.	356.60
Jacques, Wm. W.	1186.00
Jacques, Kate S.	353.20
Johnson, Marianna W.	444.80
Keller, Bessie H.	236.80
Keller, J. N.	156.00
Lancaster, Chas. B.	473.60
Lawton, Mark A.	314.20
Lord, A. C.	266.40
Lord, Geo. C. guardian	1045.18
Lord, Geo. C. guardian	148.00
Lord, Marion R.	1110.00
Lord, E. W.	372.00
Loring, Chas. W.	287.16
Loring, Geo. H. (heir)	133.20
Lovell, Mary E.	222.00
Lovell, William E.	154.80
Luther, B. S.	389.76
March, Andrew S.	212.16

March, Annie (heir)	118.40
March, Melissa J.	192.40
Merrill, Mary E.	281.20
Merrill, Joseph E.	127.80
Moore, Stephen	305.60
Murdoch, Francis & Co.	148.00
Murray, Patrick A.	197.36
Pinus, Robert C.	201.80
Pinus, Susan C.	1953.60
Rice, N. W. et al.	355.20
Rogers, Chas. F.	393.70
Ross, Henry F.	263.44
Souther, John	964.00
Springer, E. M.	266.92
Stone, Harriet H.	236.80
Sumner, John S.	350.14
Sweet, A. A.	257.04
Thompson, Benjamin	224.00
Trowbridge, Lucy B. S.	340.40
Trowbridge, Sarah E. (heir)	192.40
Turner, Caroline W.	414.40
Tyler, Warren P.	703.14
Walker, John V.	293.40
Walker, Harriet H.	190.92
Warner, John	253.56
White, Thomas	469.80
Whitmore, Grace T.	438.08
Winter, Julia M.	392.20
Woodford, Mary	199.80
Woodward, Ebenezer, heirs	310.20

Allen, Annie Grant	\$40.40
Bennett, Elizabeth L.	29.20
B. & A. R. R.	74.44
Brooks, Francis A.	296.00
Brown, Isaac	222.00
Endicott, M. Elizabeth	192.40
Hill, Janet B.	207.10
Phelps, Howard	293.40
Pope, Abbie	340.40
Stickney, Josiah H., estate	384.80
Stridman, Joshua W.	192.40
Welch, Francis C. adm. est. D. G. Rawson	272.90

## WARD TWO.

## PRECINCT ONE.

Avery, Charles F.	\$265.44
Bennett, Miss Sarah W.	1394.90
Chandler, Lucy E.	162.80
Clark, William	1514.24
Clark, Orrin E.	157.16
Danielson, Charles S.	175.16
Danielson, Mary R.	270.64
Gould, George C.	174.04
Harkins, Cornelius	216.08
Hawley, William F.	231.40
Higgins, W. S. and T. C. Nickerson	187.88
Jenkins, Amos O.	192.40
Johann, John	124.10
Mitchell, Austin R.	396.64
Murphy, George W.	238.80
Murphy, Ellen	174.04
Newton & Watertown Gas Light Co.	697.08
Page, Kate	296.74
Pense, Annie and Alice	272.92
Ross, Henry F.	224.96
Smith, Charles C.	281.20
Soden, Arthur H.	500.76
Towne, Charlotte M.	285.04

## WARD TWO.

## PRECINCT TWO.

Adams, N. W. (heirs).....	173 16
Fuller, Granville.....	122 84
Nomanum Worsted Co.....	2893 40
Silver Lake Co.....	1842 60
Ceele, John O.....	222 06
Williams, J. J.....	267 20
PRECINCT TWO.	
Adams, Caroline J.....	192 40
Bridgman, Lucy A.....	199 80
Bridgman, Prescott C.....	213 64
Brown, Nelson H.....	194 40
Carter, Timothy H.....	209 48
Clafin, William.....	2193 88
Clark, Theodore M.....	370 82
Craig, Laura B.....	208 08



## NEWTONVILLE.

—“Making calls Monday? Yes, I use Magic.”

—Twenty-five votes polled in this ward at the special election.

—M. W. Chase and family returned this week from Gardiner, Me.

—The stores were closed here on the afternoon of Labor Day.

—Supt. Thomas Emerson returned from Lisbon, N. H., this week.

—Mr. David H. Fitch has returned from his visit to Hartford, Ct.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Ames will return from Hull tomorrow.

—Mr. E. J. Goodwin and family have returned from Pine Point, Me.

—Ex-Mayor Kimball and family returned this week from Sorrento, Me.

—Rev. Pleasant Hunter, Jr., and family have returned from Brainerd.

—Miss Sarah Hill starts next week on a vacation trip to Brooklyn, N. Y.

—Mr. A. D. Blodgett and family have returned from Old Orchard, Me.

—Harry Williams has returned from his vacation trip to Old Orchard, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Chaloner are at home from their summer vacation.

—J. T. Hill has added an antique oak roller-top desk to his office fixtures.

—Master Harry and Miss Angie Savage have returned from Henneke, N. H.

—Mr. F. S. Rollins and family have returned from their cottage at Nantucket.

—Adj. Gott of Charles Ward post and family have returned from Portland, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Savage have returned from a pleasant trip to Marshfield.

—Mr. James H. Wright has returned from Eastham with a good string of fish.

—Mr. George H. Hill and family are at the Shirley Hill House, Manchester, N. H.

—Misses Annie and Addie Lewis are spending the present week at Portland, Me.

—Mrs. C. A. Shedd and Miss Beecher returned this week from Breezy Point, N. H.

—Mrs. Sherwood and her daughter Josie have returned from Sugar Hill, Lisbon, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Tainter have returned from a vacation trip to Jaffrey, N. H.

—Miss Helen Lincoln of Hingham is here visiting her sister, Mrs. E. M. Thayer.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Price have moved into their new house on Cabot street.

—Miss Florence Wilder of Somerville is visiting Miss Marian Bosson, Mt. Vernon street.

—Mr. Lon Bruce of Springfield is the guest of Mr. A. J. Wandless, Allston street.

—The engagement of Miss Stella J. Lewis and Mr. Henry A. Vose is announced.

—Rev. Mr. Dearborn of Hartford, Ct. spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. H. P. Dearborn.

—W. F. Dearborn, Jr., and family and Miss Ida Brown, returned this week from Cottage City.

—A caucus for the nomination of a postmaster will be held in Tremont Hall, Saturday evening.

—Mrs. R. A. White has returned from Plymouth, where she has been spending the summer vacation.

—Mrs. Underhill returned this week from Derry, N. H., where she has been spending the summer season.

—There was quite a large gathering at the rooms of the Newton Outing Club, Central Block, on Labor Day.

—Dr. F. M. O'Donnell has returned from Holyoke and reopened his office, corner of Washington and Crafts street.

—Miss Nellie Roberts has accepted a position in Mr. Sullivan's store and commences her duties there Monday.

—Miss Annie Call, who has been spending the summer in Europe, sails for home on the 11th instant from Liverpool.

—Councilman Fenno and family have returned from the Rockland House, Nantasket, where they have been spending the season.

—Officers Clay and family have returned from Norwood on Wednesday evening. Mr. Clay resumed his duties as patrolman.

—Mr. J. V. Sullivan has made improvements in his store. A retiring and toilet room has been recently added and neatly fitted up.

—Mr. and Mrs. Woodworth and Miss Josie Woodworth have returned from Newfield, Me., where they spent a pleasant vacation.

—Mr. Lloyd Wentworth, who has been visiting his cousin, Clarence Wentworth, has returned to his home in Bay City, Michigan.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Call, with their infant daughter, of New York, are spending a few days at Dr. Whiston's, on Highland avenue.

—Rev. G. S. Butters and family have returned from North Falmouth. Mr. Butters occupied the pulpit in the Methodist church, Sunday.

—Mr. G. S. Burgess and family have moved into their new house on Judkins street, recently purchased of Messrs. Higgins & Nickerson.

—James W. Allen, formerly employed by J. S. Sumner, will open a tin store and repairing shop in Tremont building, adjoining D. H. Fitch's market.

—A meeting of the Central Congregational Society has been called for Friday evening to take action on the resignation of Rev. Mr. Hunter, who has been called to Newark, N. J.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Kilburn will visit New Bedford, Sept. 10th, 11th, and 12th. Mr. Kilburn will attend the Eighth Annual Convention of the Mass. State Pharmaceutical Association of which he is a member.

—A meeting of the Newton Co-operative Bank was held Tuesday evening when the new series was opened and 330 shares sold. The sum of \$2400 was bid off at 15 cents premium; \$1200 at 5 cents, and \$400 at 25 cents.

—Frank, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wyman, entertained a numerous company of his little friends at the residence of his parents, Bowers street, last Saturday afternoon, upon the occasion of his birthday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Bosson are enjoying a carriage ride through New Hampshire, visiting Concord, Mt. Wachusett and Mt. Monadnock. They are accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Langmaid of Watertown. The party left here Tuesday.

—The attendance of members at the clubhouse of the Newton Club, Labor Day, was not large for a holiday, but those present participated in the pleasant social features, always characteristic of its gatherings. Whist, as usual, was the popular game.

—Mr. George Mead and family have returned from Rindge, N. H. Mr. Mead's friends will be rejoiced to learn that his health, impaired by over exertion, is greatly improved. He is as brown as a berry and full of energy for the approaching campaign.

—The Newton Street Railway Co. has made an offer for the building on Crafts street owned by the Newton & Watertown Gas Light Company, which we understand

has been accepted. The street railway company will use the building for a power station.

—The subject of Rev. R. A. White's discourse last Sunday morning was “Keeping the Sabbath in Europe.” He alluded particularly to the present spirit of religious tolerance, contrasting it with the narrow views concerning religious rights and observances in Europe in the past.

—Rev. R. A. White occupied the pulpit at the Universalist church, Sunday, and preached an interesting and instructive sermon. The regular sessions of the Sunday school were resumed, but the attendance was not so large as usual, owing to the absence of many residents who have not yet returned from the mountain and seashore resorts.

—At about seven o'clock last Friday evening Frank Hyslop was riding a western mustang owned by J. L. Richards and while passing the residence of A. R. Mitchell on Walnut street the horse suddenly turned into the driveway, throwing the rider over the fence. His left leg struck a stone post inflicting a deep and painful wound. He was attended by Dr. Hunt.

—Mr. A. T. Sisson, president of the Newton Outing Club, Mr. Frank Taintor, Mr. Downing of Boston and Mr. H. E. Sisson started from South Natick at 8 a. m., Labor Day, and paddled their canoe down the winding Charles to Rindge, a distance of 36 miles. They speak of it as being a very delightful trip. The Sisson brothers were quite fortunate in securing a string of a fine pickerel on their journey, which made a nice breakfast next morning.

—At Boston Highlands on Friday evening, Aug. 30th, occurred the 25th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Estes, which was celebrated in a fitting manner. About 30 invited guests were present, including quite a number of present and former residents of this village. Among the latter were noticed Mr. and Mrs. J. Dexter White. The couple was presented with quite a number of very pretty and valuable articles of silverware, after which a collation was served by one of Boston's well known caterers, Mr. and Mrs. Estes were married in this village in the house now occupied by Dustin Lacey, Esq., living there several years, then in Cabot street, moving to Boston several years ago.

—The Republicans of Ward Two will hold a caucus in Tremont Hall, Newtonville, Saturday evening, for the purpose of nominating a postmaster. The present incumbent of the office, Mr. Turner, is a Democrat, whose term expires soon. Many of the Republicans of the ward are in favor of retaining him in office, as he has been an efficient official and has discharged his duties in a very satisfactory manner. For the same reason ex-President Cleveland renominated two Republicans in this city, although an attempt was made to secure the nomination of a Democrat to secure an appointment for candidates of their own party. The Republicans of Ward Two seem to be very nearly equally divided on the question of Mr. Turner's re-appointment, and for that reason it was decided to call a caucus to settle the question. Mr. E. B. Colton, a prominent Grand Army man, is a candidate for the office, and winning the esteem and respect of a very wide circle of friends for many estimable traits of character. Six years ago he went to Kansas and accepted a position as superintendent of the New Hampshire Telephone Co., taking charge of the principal office of the company at Topeka and assuming the direction of the introduction of that wonderful invention through Kansas and the western part of the country. His sudden demise was due to malarial and lung affections, his illness covering a period of only three weeks. He married a western lady and was most happily settled in Topeka. The funeral took place on Monday afternoon in Topeka and memorial services were also held at the same hour at the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Shaw, Rev. Dr. Shinn officiating. The sympathy of the many friends of the family is most freely extended to those who have been so suddenly and so sadly afflicted, and the hosts of friends made by Mr. Tewksbury will not soon forget him.

## WEST NEWTON.

—“Try Magic. See on fourth page ‘A Trial Offer.’”

—Mrs. Charles Cole, Washington street, is seriously ill.

—Mrs. Joseph D. Stone, Temple street, is seriously ill.

—Frank Parker is enjoying the present week at Deer Isle, Me.

—Mr. G. P. Bullard and family have returned from the seashore.

—Mr. E. S. Merchant and family have returned from Rindge, N. H.

—Mr. E. A. Kingman and family, River street, returned this week.

—Albert Sawyer, Jr., is among vacationists who returned this week.

—City Marshal Richardson has returned from his visit to Gardner, Me.

—Mr. Nat Lane returned home Saturday evening from a business trip.

—Mr. T. E. Stutson and family returned this week from North Falmouth.

—Miss Elizabeth Ayres has returned from her visit to the mountains.

—Mrs. L. H. Maynard, River street, has returned from a visit to Chelsea.

—Herbert Felton has returned from a pleasant trip to the Rangleys Lakes.

—Mr. Alfred L. Barbour and family returned this week from Cottage City.

—Mrs. A. B. Potter and niece, Waltham street, have returned from Cottage City.

—Mrs. H. E. Woodberry and family will return today from their visit to Chicago.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Cotting and son have returned from their trip to Portland, Me.

—Miss Annie Jewett and Mrs. Burbank of Boston spent Sunday with relatives here.

—Miss Elizabeth Padlock has returned from a pleasant vacation trip to Waterville, Me.

—Mrs. Quimby has returned from her vacation, and her store is now open for business.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Quimby and Mrs. W. H. Fitch returned from Sandwich, N. H.

—The 130 train Sunday afternoon killed a valuable spaniel dog on the Washington street crossing.

—Mrs. Stephen F. Cate and family returned Saturday from their summer cottage at Green Harbor.

—F. and W. Clark's brown mare, Venus, has been entered in the 2:40 race at Framingham, Sept. 18th.

—Mr. N. T. Allen, principal of the English and Classical school, has returned from Boothbay, Me.

—Mrs. E. W. Wood and Messrs. Harvey and Elijah Wood have returned from their recent trip to Buffalo.

—Mr. S. Warren Davis and family returned this week from Rowe, where they spent the summer season.

—Mr. Geo. D. Dix gave his men a holiday on Monday, which they spent very pleasantly at Nantasket Beach.

—Mr. F. L. Humphrey has been elected a

member of the executive committee of the State Firemen's Association.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Whittlesley of Cherry street have returned from a pleasant sojourn at Block Island.

—Mrs. N. T. Allen and the Misses Allen have returned from Nantucket, where they have been enjoying their vacation.

—Mr. W. A. Clark, of the Clark Mfg. Co., returned last week from a very successful trip through New England.

—The caucus call of the Prohibition party was issued under the acts of 1888, in accordance with the Australian system.

—City Auditor Otis has returned from his vacation, and is tanned and invigorated that his friends hardly recognize him.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Davis have returned from Lincoln, Me., where they have been spending a very pleasant vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Humphrey spent Sunday at Hingham and enjoyed themselves with friends at “an annual” clam-bake.

—A man living on Cherry street has in his garden a cabbage plant with three heads and one stalk, which is quite a curiosity.

—Miss Nellie Warren and Miss Edith Marsh, who have been spending the summer at Sandwich, N. H., are expected home next week.

—Headstones have been placed on the Seth Davis lot in the Newton Cemetery, marking the graves of the deceased members of the family.

—Messrs. Ruben Cummings, H. W. Nichol, C. M. Kibbe, Jerry Saunders and Joseph Commons attended the state firemen's convention at Worcester last week.

—Mr. Henry A. Inman was elected chairman and Mr. James F. Morton, Jr., secretary of the Prohibition caucus in Nickerson's hall, last Saturday evening.

—Alexander McCullough, while driving on River street, Sunday afternoon, collided with Peter Martin's carriage, and the latter vehicle was pretty badly damaged.

—The second game of base ball between the Young Etnas of West Newton and Pine Farm Club was played on Saturday last, resulting in a victory for the Pine Farm boys, 10 to 5.

—Rev. H. J. Patrick occupied the pulpit at the Congregational church, Sunday morning, for the first time since his vacation, and preached a very interesting and instructive sermon.

—James Murnaghan's cart was overturned on Cherry street this morning. The wheel-free tree was broken and the wagon slightly damaged. The accident was caused by a bicyclist who frightened the horse.

—Samuel Barnard reports the sale of Mr. R. M. Frost's estate, Hyde street, to Mrs. M. M. Poor of Newton Centre and the lease of Mrs. Ellen M. Wood's estate, Highland street, to Wm. H. Ladd of Lynn, for the winter.

—Mr. C. S. Packard of Waltham has purchased the Samuel Lacey estate on Cherry street. The mansion house will be remodelled and the grounds improved. A portion of the estate will probably be divided up to house lots.

—Contractor Stuart has commenced work on the cellar for the extension of the Hotel block, corner of Washington and Watertown streets. This will provide for a foundation for the new stores which are to be added to the main building.

—The repairs and improvements upon the house of Mr. C. M. Whittlesley, Cherry street, are nearly completed and the exterior of the mansion has received the first coat of paint. When the work is completed it will be one of the finest residences on the street.

—Now that you are getting your boys ready for school please remember that flannel blouses and anything suitable for boys 12 to 14 years of age can be used at the Pine Farm School. A postal addressed to Benj. F. Moore, Supt., with your address will insure a call for them if you cannot deliver them at the school.

—The pastor will preach to the young at the Congregational church, Sunday morning. In the evening at 6 o'clock there will be a Sabbath school service, at which the pastor will exhibit a map of the Black Sea, which was recently presented to the church by the late Rev. S. W. Hanks.

—C. H. Hale and W. H. Mague have been awarded the contract for the laying out of the Valentine estate at the head of Chestnut street, opposite the estate of Mr. Charles Robinson. The large tract will be laid out in house lots and new streets will be built. Nearly 100 men are engaged in the work and the local boarding house keepers have a big run of trade at present.

—An enjoyable musicale was given at the residence of Mr. G. H. Lowe, Temple street, last evening. The vocal numbers were very fine, including selections by the Amphion Musical Club. Mr. W. H. Richardson gave two piano solos in a very artistic manner. Mr. Hitchcock of Brookline and Miss McDonald of Boston sang, and Miss Fyfe of the Newton Orchestra Club gave very enjoyable solos of the violin. The musicale was quite an artistic success and was much enjoyed by the fifty friends present.

—The Prohibitionists of the city held a mass caucus in Nickerson's hall, Saturday, and elected the following delegates to the various conventions: Councilor, H. A. Luman, Dr. Levi Parker, Myron L. Whitney; senatorial, Edward F. Kimball, D. B. Pittsford, Charles F. Fitch, Dutton W. A. Spinyer, Rev. W. H. Cobb, James Cutler, R. W. Waters, Rev. J. J. Peck, W. H. Partridge, C. W. Morehouse, Dr. S. F. Chase, E. R. Richardson, Rev. J. J. Peck, O. Lummus, Rev. G. S. Butters, John Chisholm, N. C. Pike, C. F. Tuttle, Joseph Howes, H. L. Putnam, James M. Gordon, Prof. C. B. Briggs, Dr. F. M. O'Donnell, Elizabeth P. Gordon, Mrs. Mary Cole, Mrs. E. N. L. Walton, Mrs. John Mead, Mrs. J. P. Tolman.

—Public recognition services in honor of Rev. D. W. Farnum, D. D., who has assumed the pastorate of the West Newton Baptist society, were held last evening. He was given a cordial welcome by his parishioners, nearly 200 being present. The following was the order of services: Organ prelude, voluntary, quartet; invocation, Rev. A. Harris; reading scripture, Rev. J. C. Jaynes; prayer, Rev. E. A. Capen; singing “Pastor in His Study,” Rev. J. M. English, D. D.; address, “Pastor in his Pulpit,” Rev. J. J. Adams, D. D.; singing, quartet; address, “Pastor in the Community,” Rev. H. J. Patrick; address, “Pastor in the homes of his people,” Rev. L. C. Barnes; singing “Zion's Watchman,” congregation; address, “Pastor's Reception,” Rev. H. J. Patrick; closing prayer, Rev. J. P. McCullough; solo, Miss Bessie Hamlin; singing, “Blest be the tie that binds,” congregation; benediction, pastor.

—John Flannagan, while suffering from temporary mental aberration, wandered from his home in Dorchester, and on Saturday evening found a bunk in a friendly barn in that part of our beautiful municipality known as “Cork City.” His slumbers on the Sabbath were unduly awakened in the morning, and he left the scene of his refreshing rest very hurriedly under the impression that he was pursued by ruffians who sought his life. Dashing up Prince street, he turned into the yard of Mr. A. S. Glover and asked for protection from his invisible enemies. He was courteously given a seat in a shady spot and supplied with a glass of water, while a message was being sent by telephone to the central police station. His large and elegant stock after Officer Ryan appeared upon the scene

and took the man in custody, removing him to the station until the arrival of his friends. His brother subsequently came after him, and he was released. On Sunday evening, while in his brother's care, he was very wild and it required the strenuous exertion of two men to keep him in bed; his condition is, however, gradually improving.

—Edward Ryan went to Waltham Tuesday evening to visit a man named Wheeler, who resides in the Chemistry district. He left Waltham at about 11 o'clock and proceeded toward his home. According to Ryan's own statement, he had not been drinking, and had no unpleasant words with Wheeler or any member of his family. When he reached the old ice house on Cherry street an unknown man jumped in front of him and ordered him to stop. Ryan sprang to one side and told the stranger that he would “knock his brains out” if he made any attempt to molest him. The man ran in the direction of Waltham. Ryan started again down Cherry street and when he reached the residence of Thomas Kelley, he heard steps behind him. But before he could turn he was stabbed three times—once in the back of the neck, again back of the right ear, and on top of his head, the latter extending across the skull. He fell down, and lost consciousness, partially recovering about 4 o'clock Wednesday morning, when he succeeded in dragging himself home. Dr. Crockett was summoned, and found Ryan in a very serious condition, terribly weak from loss of blood, suffering from his wounds. The motive is difficult to explain, and being coming to be attributed to attempted highway robbery as his watch and money were not disturbed. It is thought that the murderous attempt to take his life may have been made by some enemy who was actuated by a spirit of revenge. The locality where the stabbing occurred is a dangerous spot, several parties having been assaulted in the vicinity while on their way to their homes by unknown parties. The case was reported at the central police station and a thorough investigation will be made.

—The Emmets of Waltham visited West Newton last Saturday afternoon, and were defeated by the Newtons, being played at every point. The features of the game were the pitching and base running of the Emmets, the catching of Boyd, the batting and coaching of Cox and the pitching of the visiting twirlers. The umpiring of Mr. Lester was very unsatisfactory to the home team. The Score:

NEWTONS.										
A. B. R. H. T. B. P. O. A. E.										
Morton, c. f.	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Roster, 2b.	4	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Cummings, 3b.	4	1	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Castello, r. f.	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cox, 1b.	4	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boyd, c.	4	0	1	1	1	1	1	2	0	0
Gregory, s. s.	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Peters, p.	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Totals	33	7	7	8	24	19	5	0	0	0

EMMETTS.

A. B. R. H. T. B. P. O. A. E.										
Gogarty, 2b.	3	1	1	1	1	6	0	0	0	0
Lyach, 1. f.	3	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Donahoe, c. f.	4	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0
Quatters, s. s.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Manning, 3b. p.	2	5	0	0	1	13	3	0	0	0
Sullivan, 1b.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spaulding, c. f.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spelman, c.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pyne, 1b.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	26	5	3	4	24	23	3	0	0	0

Innings: 1. 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9  
 Newtons: 1 0 0 0 5 0 1 0 2-7  
 Emmets: 1 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0-5  
 Two base hits—Cox, Donahoe. First base on balls—Newtons 3; Emmets 4. Struck out—By Peters 10; Donahoe 7; Manning 9. Time—1:45. Umpire—John S. Lester.

## The Newtonville Post Office.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC:

At this time when the claims of several aspirants for the Newtonville Post Office are being vigorously pushed, it is no more than just to remind your readers of the action made by Mr. Turner, the present postmaster.

It is safe to say that there is no office in New England where uniform courtesy, strict adherence to business methods and intelligent administration have resulted in the office of Ward 2. Further, this improvement both in efficiency of service and attractive surroundings has been accomplished only by untiring energy and great patience on the part of Mr. Turner. In the light of these facts, I believe the home office must cordially support and that it is the earnest desire of the Republicans of this Ward, that he be retained in office for many years to come, to enjoy the well earned fruits of his enterprise, and insure the very best service possible to the community.

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## Occultation of Jupiter.

The occultation of Jupiter Tuesday evening presented several parts of especial interest, although observed with the aid of an opera glass not powerful enough to show the moons of the planet in the haze of the atmosphere, or even to define clearly the planetary disk.

The first was the great apparent reduction of the planet's brightness in proximity to the moon. Jupiter is next to Venus the most brilliant of the planets, and is conspicuous even as on Wednesday night about 20 degrees distant from a moon nearly full, but as it approached occultation it appeared scarcely brighter than a star of the second magnitude.

The second was the marked effect of irradiation. This phenomena causes a bright object seen against a dark background to appear larger than its actual size. It is commonly noticed at the moon, causing the crescent to appear disproportionately large in comparison with the illuminated portion of the disk, then faintly visible by the light reflected from the earth.

The third, and most interesting part of the occultation, was the fact that it was at least fifteen minutes later than the time when by completing the apparent outline of the moon's disk the observer would have judged that the planet in the line of vision must be already behind the edge of the moon.

The last, and most interesting point was the gradual disappearance of the planet. When a star is occulted its disappearance is instantaneous. The planet, preserving in disk of considerable diameter continued in sight for at least a minute after its first contact with the moon's edge, and was faintly visible through the glass some seconds after it could no longer be detected by the eye.

The complete occultation occurred in Newton at about four minutes before ten. Of course, like an eclipse of the sun, the phenomena is seen at a time differing according to the locality of the observer. The meridian must have occurred when the moon was rather near the horizon for favorable observation. Observers in the south western states were better situated for the study of the whole phenomena. The Lick observatory has doubtless been able to make a complete series of observations.

## A Rare Opportunity.

To secure bargains in artistic furniture, carpets, wall papers, window shades and kitchen furnishing goods is offered by H. M. Greenough, corner of Tremont and Boylston streets, Boston, who is closing out his large and elegant stock at a great sacrifice.

## AUBURNDALE.

—Miss E. Tyler has gone to York, Me., for a few weeks.

—Mr. F. F. Davidson has purchased a fine new “Safety.”

—Miss Belle Braden is spending a few weeks in Chicago, Ill.

—Miss Sallie and Alice Adams have returned from North Brookfield.

—Mr. E. F. Miller and family are expected home from Canada, to-day.

—Rev. Mr. Cutler and family have returned from their summer vacation.

—Capt. B. C. Baker spent Sunday and Monday on Cape Cod with his family.

—Frank W. Holt returned to his duties in the store of Mr. F. A. Childs this week.

—Charles Almy will take his former place in Mr. E. W. Keyes drug store next week.

—Mrs. Theodore Gore, who has been very ill with typhoid fever, is improving rapidly.

—Dr. Porter is making extensive improvements upon his residence on Auburn street.

—Dr. Rowe and family of Chicago are at Mrs. Fisher's, Seminary avenue, for a few weeks.

—Mr. C. H. Bracken has left his late position here and will take another place shortly.

—Mr. E. W. Keyes, who has been spending his vacation at Jaffrey, N. H., has returned.

—A band will furnish the music at the lawn party on the seminary grounds next Monday.

—Miss L. G. Pixley has gone to Framingham and the State Normal school at that place.

—Capt. Washburn, hose company 5, attended the firemen's convention at Worcester, last week.

—Mr. Harry Priest and Mr. Herbert Felton have returned from their trip to the Rangleys Lakes.

—Miss Grace Mather has returned from Rangleys Lakes, where she has been spending the summer.

—Ronald Sullivan, with F. A. Childs started Saturday on a two weeks' vacation to Halifax, N. S.

—Mr. H. A. Priest and family have returned from their summer vacation to their home on Vista avenue.

—Mr. J. W. Davis has two very desirable tenements to rent, and the early applicant will secure a nice home.

—Rev. Dr. Lindsay of this place preached at the Methodist church on Holton street, Medford, Sunday evening.

—Wm. Spaulding, who has a position at Zylonic, No. Adams, is at home on a visit to his parents on Lexington street.

—Messrs. Williams, Howland, Rice, Hall, and Thayer have returned to Woodland Park Hotel for the winter season.

—Mr. Charles H. Richardson returned to the Woodland Park Hotel the first of the week after a trip through the mountains.

—Miss Gertrude Davenport and Miss Emily Wheeler returned from a pleasant two weeks' vacation at Jaffrey, N. H.

—Mrs. A. W. Sawyer has returned from her vacation and will occupy her new house on Central street as soon as it is completed.

—Rev. D. Barnum and family and Miss Emily Wheeler sailed Saturday for Harpoon, where they will resume their mission labors.

—Rev. Henry A. Hazen of Grove street was married Saturday to Miss Martha B. Heath of Boston. Rev. E. E. Strong of the latter place officiating.

—An angling party was given at the residence of Mr. Philip Butler, Monday evening, upon the occasion of a visit of numerous friends from New York city.

—Mrs. James Gordon, Miss Elizabeth Gordon, Mrs. M. H. Cole and Mr. D. T. Fitts were the delegates from this ward to the Worcester convention, held at Worcester, Wednesday.

—Mr. Eugene B. Baker and family have arrived from Port Antonio, Jamaica. Mr. Baker is a member of the great firm of tropical fruit growers and shippers widely known as the Boston Fruit Co.

—Mr. Frank S. Angell, formerly of Auburn, and now head salesman for the firm of Geo. B. Turner & Co., Boston, was married Thursday, Aug. 22nd, at his home in Brainerd Vt., to Miss Maud Harris of Boston.

—The daughter of Mr. John Bird, whose family is stopping at Marblehead Neck, met with an accident recently, falling 12 feet from a piazza, dislocating her collar bone. This necessarily delays their return to Auburn.

—A party from the seminary to the number of eighteen went to Concord on a pleasure excursion last Wednesday. C. G. Finkham's “Mystic” and four horses were the party and a grand good time was, of course, the verdict.

—A lawn party will be held on the grounds of Lasell Seminary, from three to eight o'clock, on Monday, Sept. 9, under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church. Admission, ten cents. Fancy articles will be for sale and light refreshments served.

—The missionary concert held in the Congregational chapel last Sunday evening was most successful. Rev. Calvin Cutler gave an account of 70 African children who were stolen by the Arabs, put on board of a vessel bound for India, rescued and afterwards cared for by Mr. and Mrs. Windsor, missionaries, illustrating the advance in foreign Christian missionary labors.

—At a meeting of the Newton Boat club, held Tuesday evening in the clubhouse, Riverside, it was decided to give a promenade concert to-morrow evening. Messrs. H. H. Cutler, Austin Kilburn and Horatio Page were appointed a committee of arrangements. If the concert is successful four more will be given on Saturday evening, in September, and October. On the Saturday afternoon preceding the concert there will be boat races on the river and tennis playing on the club courts.

## The Misses Allen's School.

The second year of the Misses Allen's School begins Sept. 25th. Miss Ranlet resuming her position as principal. The same teachers as last year are engaged for the coming year, their work having been highly satisfactory in all respects. An addition will be made to the number in the person of Fraulein Emma Roth, who will be a resident teacher in charge of the instruction in German. Special students in German, French, Italian, and other studies can arrange for hours at the house.

There is need of such a school in Newton, as it furnishes opportunity for the thorough instruction for girls who can take a full course of study, and also provides advantages for others who for any reason want to take one or more studies. In addition to the regular classes a class for girls from eight to twelve years will be formed. The number will be limited, and special advantages will be offered.

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## A MYSTIC THOUGHT.

BY EDWARD ARNOLD.

Thought in the mind hath made us. What we are  
By thought was wrought and built. If a man's  
mind  
Hath evil thought, pain comes on him as comes  
The wheel the ox behind.  
All that we are is what we thought and willed  
Our thoughts shape us and frame. If one en-  
dure  
In purity of thought, joy follows him  
As his own shadow sure.  
"He hath defamed me, wronged me, injured me,  
Abused me, beaten me!" If one should keep  
Thoughts like these angry words within his  
breast,  
Hate will never sleep.  
"He hath defamed me, wronged me, injured me,  
Abused me, beaten me!" If one should send  
Such angry words away for pardoning thoughts,  
Hate will have an end.

For never anywhere at any time  
Did hatred cease by hatred. Always 'tis  
By love that hatred ceases, only love;  
The ancient law is this.

The many, who are foolish, have forgot,  
Or never knew, how mortal wrongs pass by;  
But they who know and who remember, let  
Transient quarrels die.

Whoso abides, looking for joy, unschooled,  
Gluttonous, we, in idle luxuries  
Mara will overthrow him, as these winds  
Level short-rooted trees.

Whoso abides, disowning joys, controlled,  
Temperate, faithful, strong, shunning all ill,  
Mara shall no more overthrow that man  
Than the wind doth a hill.

Whoso Kasha wears the yellow robe,  
Being unskilful, not sin-free,  
Nor heeding truth and governance; unfit  
To wear that dress is he.

But whoso, being unskilful, pure  
Clean from offence, doth still in virtues dwell,  
Regarding temptations and truth, that man  
Weareth Kasha well.

Whoso imagines truth in the untrue,  
And in the true finds untruth, he expires  
Never attaining knowledge; life is waste;  
He follows vain desires.

Whoso discerns in truth the true, and sees  
The false in falsehood with unblinded eye,  
He shall attain to knowledge; life is such  
Aims well before it die.

As rain breaks through an ill-thatched roof, so  
break  
Passions through minds that holy thought  
desire;  
As rain runs from a perfect thatch, so run  
Passions from off the wise.

The evil-doer mourneth in this world,  
And mourneth in the world to come; in both  
He grieveth. When he sees fruits of his deeds  
To see he will be loath.

The righteous man rejoiceth in this world,  
And in the world to come; in both he takes  
Pleasure. When he shall see fruits of his  
works  
The good sight gladdens makes.

Glad is he living, glad in dying, glad  
Having once died; glad always, glad to know  
What good deeds he hath done, glad to foresee  
More good where he shall go.

The lawless man, who, not obeying law,  
Leaves after him evil deeds and ill fame,  
No Buddhist is he, but a foolish herd  
Who counts another's kine.

The law-abiding, loving one who knows  
Only one verse of Dharma, but hath ceased  
From envy, hatred, malice, foolishness,  
He is the Buddhist Priest.

London, May 14.

## BREAKING IN A NEW BOY.

BY MRS. CAROLINE PRESTON.

"There's a new boy just come in!"  
shouted John Bunce to Nate Willett, run-  
ning down to the grape arbor in the gar-  
den, where his chum and classmate was  
reading the last new book that had been  
added to the school library. "He's a  
good-looking chap—stunning long  
black hair, and cheeks as red as Mother  
Mahoney's cherries. His clothes go to  
show that his mammy has taken a great  
deal of pains with him; and he's got a  
lot of baggage, and a big tin box, which,  
I'll bet a quarter, is full of cake, candy,  
figs and nuts. He's bigger than we are,  
but I guess we boys can manage him  
well enough."

"Do you think he is likely to be home-  
sick?" asked Nate, gathering himself up  
and tucking his book into his pocket.  
"If you do we must think of something  
to divert him right away."

"How would a sail on the river, in the  
'Little Marchioness,' do?" suggested  
John, with a grin.

"Capital! and you may immediately re-  
solved yourself into a committee of the  
whole to see to putting him through the  
regular circuit of the campus and gym-  
nasium right after dinner. It's great fun  
that the master has gone to the city."

There were nine boys in the Mount  
Pleasant school, which was hidden in a  
scattering grove of odoriferous fir-trees,  
on the summit of an elevation, at the foot  
of which flowed a charming little river  
that was the boys' special delight. These  
bright, active lads were a self-satis-  
fied lot over their proficiency in all  
aquatic sports. The reports of the vari-  
ous college boating clubs was a species  
of literature read by them with avidity  
and awe, and they eagerly looked for-  
ward to the time when their names  
should be duly bulletined in those fascinat-  
ing columns.

The new boy had been formally intro-  
duced to them as Will Gavitt by the mas-  
ter, who, in her solicitude to make it  
pleasant for him in the absence of the  
master, assigned his seat at the dinner-  
table by the side of Nate Willett, who al-  
ways had something to say.

Nate was the oldest and the largest in  
size of the boys, and he had been at the  
school the longest of any of them. Al-  
though he was quite social and cheery  
and good natured in disposition, he was  
inclined to be imperious and dictatorial.  
By virtue of his prestige at Mount Pleas-  
ant, he considered that he had a right to  
the leadership without any controversy,  
and was inclined, in his undisputed sway,  
to tyrannize over the other boys—the new  
comers especially.

Notwithstanding Nate was generally  
liked, the boys sometimes felt as if they  
had some rights that he was bound to re-  
spect. Should there perchance, on any  
occasion, spring up a tiny ripple of com-  
plaint on their part, he would say that  
he was simply teaching them their man-  
ners; that it was hardening them to  
what was before them in life. Did he re-  
quire them to lift their hats to him when  
they changed to meet by themselves,  
why, it was to teach them to be gentle-  
men.

By the same kind of sophistry he was  
to have the first reading of all the boys'  
papers and magazines that came to the  
school, and of each new book that was  
added to the library. He was the self-  
constituted umpire in all their games;  
he took the lion's share of all their good-  
ies; he had the first wear of every new,  
stylish neck-tie, and of all the new hats  
that fitted his head. He changed shoes  
strings with some hapless lad when his  
own broke, or the tips came off; and so  
on at will and on his own terms.

The lads, therefore, hailed with delight  
the advent of a new boy, who, for a time  
at least, would be a target for all the bul-  
lying, and would have to share it with  
the others after his "hazing" had been  
duly gone through with.

Dinner having been duly disposed of  
without incident, the lads made their  
way out to the playground, and, accord-  
ing to his orders, John Bunce took the  
new-comer under his wing.

"You and I are just of a height, I  
think," said he. "I noticed it the mo-  
ment you came through the gate. One  
of the first things we have to do when  
we arrive at Mount Pleasant is to have  
our height taken on the big tree at the  
corner of the fence, and then it is mark-  
ed again when we leave school. Will you  
stand up here and be measured?"

The new-comer quietly backed up to  
the tree, and Nate Willett said:

"The shoes you have on, Gavitt, are al-  
together too high-heeled? you had better  
take them off."

So Gavitt very pleasantly untied his new  
patent leathers, and kicked them care-  
lessly on to the gravel walk, whereupon  
Nate ordered Joe Larkum to transfer the  
nickel-tipped silk strings to his own  
shoes.

"And, Sam Tyler," continued Nate,  
"you are needing some new shoes. Here  
is a good chance for you to trade. You  
had better put these on; they are just a  
fit for you. You can settle the terms  
later."

"They would be a pretty good fit,"  
said Sam, "if my stockings heels were  
whole," and forthwith Nate ordered that  
an exchange of stockings be made at once.

"Here, Gavitt, put those on," said  
Nate, pointing to Sam's torn and soiled  
discarded hose.

But the new boy thanked him, and said  
that the soft earth felt very cool and  
grateful to his bare feet. "I fancy," he  
went on, still standing with his back  
against the tree that I am the tallest boy  
in the crowd."

At a signal from Nate, all the boys  
now took out their pocket-knives, opened  
them with a great clicking and flourish  
and brandished them about the new-  
comer's head, to the seeming great dan-  
ger to his eyes and ears; to see which  
should have the honor of setting the  
mark above his head. He stood his  
ground sturdily, not flinching in the  
least.

"You can step one side now," said  
Nate at length. "It is just as you sur-  
mised. Bunce, he is exactly your height,  
and as you need some new trousers, we  
will invite our young friend into the  
gymnasium to be weighed, and while  
there you can make an exchange. I  
think he will weigh in the same notch  
with Tom Winkler, and Tom needs a  
new coat."

So, one after another, Gavitt's gar-  
ments were disposed of, he cheerfully  
giving up his own, but refusing to don  
any in their place. Now, arrayed simply  
in his scarlet merino under-clothing, he  
carelessly proceeded to gather the cast-  
off raiment of the boys into a bundle, and  
placed it in a corner behind the Indian  
clubs.

"Do you row?" asked Nate; because if  
you do, you are in just the right rig for  
it. Well, boys, we will now repair to the  
boathouse. The Mount Pleasant fellows,  
Gavitt, as you may have heard, are very  
proud of their skill with the oars, and  
it will give us great pleasure to give you  
a lesson."

When they had arrived at the landing,  
Nate continued: "Take your places, boys;  
our new friend will sit here by me so as  
to take particular notice how everything  
is done. Strike out, lads, for the middle  
of the river."

No sooner was the skiff a good dis-  
tance from the bank of the broad stream,  
at a black placid spot, known by the  
boys as the "Deep Hole," than Nate be-  
gan: "There's a Jonah on board! I feel  
it in my bones," and at a wink from Nate  
the boys began to rock the boat so ener-  
getically that it nearly dipped water at  
every move.

"Yes, there is serious trouble," he went  
on. "We can't stand this. Some one of  
us will have to be cast overboard. Our  
new friend's hair is parted in the middle,  
I notice. Now I am sure here is to be  
change the parting to one side, the equi-  
librium of the boat would be regained.  
Have any one of you a pocket comb?"

Half a dozen were speedily produced;  
but while the greatly amused youngsters  
were grinning at each other, the new boy  
in his red tights, sprang to his feet, and  
no one could tell how, stood balancing  
himself on the tiler with the tenacity  
and agility of a monkey.

"Come off from there!" shouted Nate.  
"You will upset the boat in a jiffy."  
"I rather think not," responded Gavitt;  
"but sit still every one of you. I fancy  
it is my shoe-strings in your shoes  
that is making all the trouble. You will  
take them off and throw them overboard,  
instantly!"

He spoke in such chest tones of com-  
mand, and with such a glitter in his eyes  
that the boys were awed into the most  
abject silence; and a threatening move-  
ment of one foot on the edge of the tiler  
seat showed them that he was master of  
the situation; and it is safe to say that  
every one of the lads was glad to see  
the now crestfallen Nate quickly obey the  
order and throw the new silk laces into  
the river.

One by one, they were called upon to  
divest themselves of their borrowed  
plumage until every article of Gavitt's  
dainty clothing, which John Bunce had  
been sure his mammy had taken so much  
pains to provide him with, was floating  
down stream.  
"There is still a troublesome element  
on board," went on the new-comer.  
"Were I sure there was a whale to swal-  
low the Jonah I would chuck him over-  
board in quicker time than any of you  
have played off one of your worn-out  
tricks. But, on consideration, I am con-  
vinced the trouble is all in Nate Willett's  
name. If you will notice, there is an odd  
number of letters composing it. It must  
be changed here and now. My name is  
Will Gavitt. His name hereafter is to be  
"Gav Willett." Now do you all agree to  
call him that hereafter? You do? Very  
well. I bid you all a pleasant "good-  
night," and springing off into the river  
like an otter, he swam off, and was soon

lost to sight beyond the distant curve of  
the warm, foliage-fringed stream.  
The children and the badly discomfited  
boys could not leave their boat-house and  
appear on the inviting grounds of Mount  
Pleasant until twilight fell. Making their  
way thither as soon as they deemed it  
expedient, they sped rapidly across the  
campus, in the thickening gloom, to the  
gymnasium.

John Bunce made at once for the dark  
Indian clubs, sent them all rolling upon the  
corner, and crawling in behind the In-  
dian clubs sent them all rolling upon the  
hard floor.

"Oh, stop your racket, Bunce," choro-  
used all the boys; "you will have the  
whole of Mount Pleasant down upon us."  
"There isn't a rag here," said Bunce,  
sprawling around in the dark; "there is  
no help for it; we must make our way to  
the dormitory as we are."

"I have got a key to the back gate,"  
said Sam. "We will scoot in that way  
while all hands are busy about supper."  
The group of nonplussed boys, each  
blaming all the others, Nate receiving  
his full share, hustled up the back stairs  
and made a hasty and extemporized toilet  
for supper. It was an unusual thing  
for them to be late at table, but the bell  
had ceased ringing before they hurried  
down, the dainty and final Nate minus  
shoe-strings, John in his second-best  
pants, Sam in patched shoes very much  
run down at the heels, and all of them  
greatly flushed, flustered and excited over  
their afternoon adventure.

The new-comer did not appear, and  
the matron did not ask for him although  
she had reserved his chair, and set by his  
turned plate the tea, preserves and hot  
biscuit. The boys were sure she  
mistaken something, and were relieved  
when the evening study bell called them  
from the table to the school-room.

The evening slowly dragged away.  
Mr. Irving, the sub-master, altho seem-  
ingly surprised at the unusually quiet  
demeanor of his pupils, did not appear  
to notice the absence of Gavitt; and they  
were not sure that he had known of his  
arrival that morning.

Bed-time came, and the stranger had  
not been seen or heard from. The boys  
passed the greater part of the night  
worrying in silence, or exchanging stealthy  
whispers over his disappearance. Had he  
run away? Was he drowned? What  
would be the dire consequences of the  
eventful afternoon, anyway? Who would  
have to pay for Gavitt's elegant clothes  
if he "told" on them? What kind of a  
fellow was he really, and where did he  
belong? Where his folks were rich?

In the still hour of midnight there was  
the bustle of an arrival below. Was it  
the stranger? No, it was the hearty  
voice of the master they heard. He had  
returned from the city on the late train.  
They were glad he had come; yet what  
would he say to them?

At last the rising-bell rang. For once,  
at least, the boys were rejoiced to hear it  
for it was possible that Gavitt might ap-  
pear all right; and they were pretty con-  
fident he was the kind of fellow who  
would not "peach." At all events the  
stranger, whatever he might be, could not  
be worse than their forebodings. They  
soon dressed, and on their way to morn-  
ing prayers who should they find stand-  
ing on the porch but the master, the Rev.  
Mr. Ripley, chatting pleasantly with  
young Gavitt, who was arrayed in a fresh  
suit even more dainty and stylish than  
the one that had excited their admiration  
the day before.

"Good-morning, my lads," said the  
master, "we could not ask for a better  
morning or for a pleasanter spot to look  
out upon; and he gazed about upon  
the fresh, dewy landscape and the beau-  
tiful river, from the sparkling surface of  
which the fog was rising in floating, feath-  
ery spirals. "I am glad to get home  
again and to see you all," he added, shak-  
ing hands cordially all around. "I have  
a delightful surprise for you, boys," he  
went on, in his usual cheery manner.

"Let me introduce to you my nephew,  
Professor Gavitt, who, during his stay  
here has consented, when not engaged  
with his Hebrew lessons, that I am to  
run over with him, to put you through a  
course of scientific gymnastics and boat-  
ing. He has just landed, and I am sure  
his skill and prowess since leaving—col-  
lege."

"I met your pupils yesterday, sir," re-  
plied the professor, "when I made my in-  
formal and unannounced advent here;  
and I fancy we arrived at a pretty good  
understanding. Good-morning to you, boys,  
and John, and Gav," and so on all around  
the wide-eyed group. The boys saw that  
he remembered them, every one.

As they all started to go down the  
gravel walk, the boys noticed a nonde-  
script figure standing under the "meas-  
uring" sign. "Regarding that," they said,  
it was dressed in their own "traded" of  
garments of yesterday. As they ap-  
proached it the "new-comer" said,  
blandly:

"Allow me, young gentlemen, to intro-  
duce you to an ally of Mount Pleasant  
school as you have lately made it. Let  
us hope that hereafter it will reach out  
to a higher manhood than is developed  
from a course of browbeating and sense-  
less pranks unworthy of bright, intelli-  
gent boys in this busy, matter-of-fact,  
progressive age. There are so many ob-  
stacled pursues which will open before  
you and for which you are supposed to  
be fitting yourselves, that you have no  
time, and should have no inclination to  
cultivate an unfeeling, brutal nature."

Master Ripley rubbed his hands in a  
satisfied way as he preceded the boys to  
the recitation-room for prayers, and  
chuckled to himself: "It has all come  
about even better than I expected, when  
I sent for nephew Will, and happily the  
boys do not mistrust I intended they  
should be taught in some way this very  
lesson."

Willington, Conn.

**Bound to Succeed.**  
The movement may be stayed, but it  
will not be ended, nor long stopped, by  
any adverse front of the two great polit-  
ical parties, even if these parties choose  
to disregard their own professions. The  
solid platform of civil service  
reform and stands firmly there, may not  
succeed at once; but it will win ere long  
and its success will be the more enduring  
because it is founded on right.

"Why are the stars hung so high?"  
asked Rollo, looking out of the window  
upon the star-gemmed canopy of heaven.  
"So that the class of '89," said his Uncle  
George, who graduated in '79, "can walk  
around at night without knocking off its  
hats."—Brooklyn Eagle.

## A Straight Tip.

There's nothing on earth so mysteri-  
ously funny as an advertisement. The  
prime, first, last and all-the-time object of  
an advertisement is to draw custom. It  
is not, was not, and never will be de-  
signed for any other purpose. So the  
merchant waits till the busy season  
comes, and his store is so full of custom  
he can't get his hat off, and then he  
rushes to his printer and goes in for ad-  
vertising. When the dull season gets  
along and there is no trade, and he wants  
to sell his goods so bad he can't pay his  
rent, he stops advertising. That is, some  
of them; but occasionally a level-  
headed merchant does more of it, and  
scoops in all the business, while his  
neighbors are making mortgages to pay  
the gas bill. There are times when you  
couldn't stop people from buying every-  
thing in the store if you planted a can-  
non behind the door, and that's the time  
the advertisement is sent out on its holy  
mission. It makes light work for ad-  
vertising, for a chalk sign on the side-  
walk could do as much as that, and need  
have a half holiday six days in a week;  
but who wants to favor an advertisement?  
They are built to do hard work, and  
should be sent out in the dull days, when  
a customer has to be knocked down with  
hard facts and kicked insensible with  
bankrupt notations and dragged in with  
irresistible slaughter of prices, before he  
will spend a cent.

That's the aim and end of advertising,  
and if ever you open a store, don't try to  
get them to come when they are already  
sticking out of the windows, but give  
them your advertisement right between  
the eyes in the dull season, and you will  
wax rich, and own a fast horse, and  
perhaps be able to smoke a cigar once or  
twice a year. Write this down where  
you'll fall over it every day. The time  
to draw business is when you want busi-  
ness, and not when you have more than  
you can attend to already.

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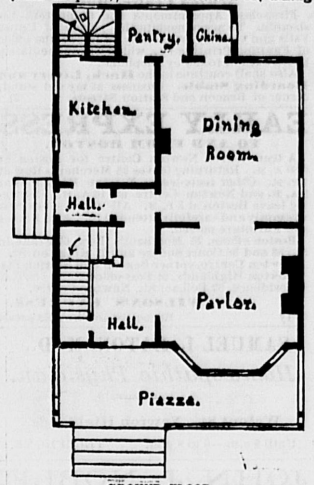
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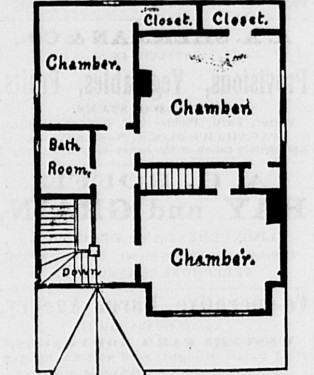
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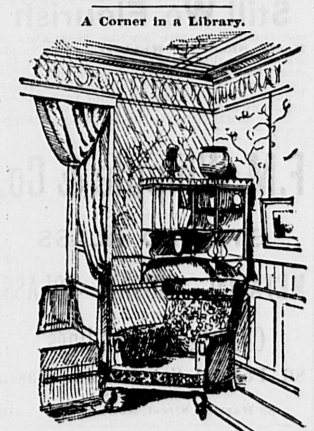
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room, 13 feet 6 inches x 16; kitchen, 10x12; parlor, 13x14; dining room, 12x14; front hall, 10x12; back hall, 4x6; front and back stairs. Second story contains chamber, 12x14; chamber, 12x12; chamber, 10x12; closet to each.



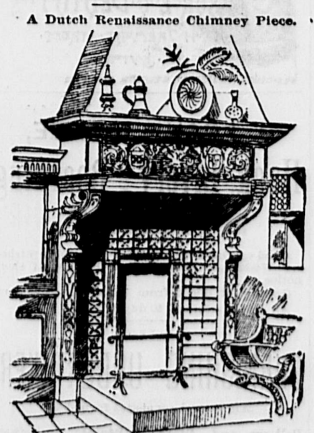
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Bathroom, 5x8. First story, clapboards; second story, shingles. Estimated cost of building, \$1,800.



A Corner in a Library.

The accompanying cut, from a design by J. P. McHugh in The Decorator and Furnisher, shows a corner in a library, which, while not remarkable in arrangement, at the same time presents a pleasing and homelike picture. Nothing can be more depressing than the sight of bare walls and empty corners. It is a very easy task to place a cabinet in the position as seen in the cut, and it adds wonderfully to the appearance of the room. The judicious placing of a few rugs, portieres, easy chairs and pictures, and voilà the room is finished.



A Dutch Renaissance Chimney Piece.

The accompanying cut is a design for a Dutch Renaissance chimney piece, and is taken from Franz Ewerbeck's "The Renaissance in Belgium and Holland." It is one of the most artistic creations that we have lately seen.

On the other side every ornament usually made in other stones is now seen in garnets, brooches, pins, bracelets, combs, earrings, rings and necklaces, and in addition, very pretty picture frames in various sizes.

## IN FREE READING ROOMS.

## QUEER CHARACTERS WHO HAUNT NEW YORK'S LIBRARIES.

Three That Act Alike, Yet Do Not Know Each Other—An Old Man Who Never Takes Anything but Anthon's Classical Dictionary—A Student of Longevity.

In many public libraries of this city there are daily to be seen some decidedly eccentric characters. Their faces are familiar to all the attaches of the place they frequent, and every occasional visitor has speculated at one time or other about them.

In the Mercantile library, for instance, there are three men who spend the entire day there reading anything and everything, and this they have been doing for years. One is an elderly man and both the others are middle aged. They are at the door of the room when it opens in the morning at 9 o'clock. They take their seats in the most methodical fashion and begin. One of them occasionally goes down stairs, gets a book from the library, and returns in a few moments, settles himself in his corner with a grunt of satisfaction and then appears oblivious to his surroundings for hours.

At noon, or thereabouts, this trio goes out to luncheon. Not together, as each seems to be unaware of the similarity of the other's habits. Sometimes one comes back in twenty minutes, sometimes in thirty, but none would presume to remain away longer than an hour.

In the afternoon their pastime is again resumed, and it is continued until the doors close at night, when they go away reluctantly.

When the library made a rule to close at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoons, these people and several others protested against the early closing movement as an outrage.

Over at the Astor library there was formerly a peculiar looking German who wore waxed ringlets and a tremendous necktie. He studied Goethe entirely, and made notes by the bushful on dirty scraps of paper that he picked from the floor or fished from his pockets. He has been missed for some time.

There is one nice looking, white haired old gentleman who comes to the Cooper union reading room in the neighborhood of 2 o'clock every day and calls for "Anthon's Classical Dictionary," which is a sort of biography of eminent ancient characters.

He never asks for anything else, and when he is seen to enter, the librarian, if not busy, goes to the case and brings that work to the desk.

The peculiar thing about this character is that he has been pursuing this custom ever since 1883. The reading room was closed during '85 and '86. When it reopened almost the first visitor was this same white haired old gentleman, and Mr. Curtiss, the librarian, could not repress a broad smile as the old gentleman stepped before his desk and, laying down his check, said, "How d'ye do? Glad you're open again," and then added, unconcernedly, "Anthon's Classical Dictionary, please."

There is another queer fellow who comes into the same reading room and follows the attendants around as they file newspapers and periodicals. As soon as the attendant places one of these in its proper place the queer individual takes it up and rapidly turns and scans the pages. When the next one is placed he props the first and skims over the second. This he does with each and every one. He seems to have no definite object in doing this, as he cares not what the publication may be.

At first the library assistants did not know what to make of him, but they are used to him now and would miss his companionship were he to leave off.

There is a third man who is also a daily visitor, and he must have information enough stored away in his breast to run the world.

He is probably between 55 and 60 years old. He has an air of comfort about him, and might be taken for a one time workman who had amassed a competence upon which he proposed to live at his ease for the rest of his days. He has been coming to the library for several years and began his reading on volume 1 of the American Encyclopedia. That book he called for every day for goodness knows how long, and when he had presumably exhausted its contents he began on volume 2, and so he continued until he came to the last volume.

Then he began on volume 1 again and went over the entire ground. It is thought that he has read the Encyclopedia at least a dozen times, and he is still at it.

Up at the Mechanics' library on West Sixteenth street an old man had been a frequent visitor. He was fully 85 years old and feeble at that. He had a mania for reading books on longevity, and bored for hours over "Imman's Preservation of Life," "Collins' Secret of Long Life," and books of the kind.

"Look at that old man," said the librarian one day to his assistant. "I don't think his deep study on the preservation of life will keep him from the grave much longer. He has been looking badly for a week or two, and appears to be at the edge of the precipice now." The prophecy proved correct, for the next thing heard of the old man was that he had been called from this weary world, and the knowledge gleaned from Collins or Imman did not suffice to keep him.

Another character at the Mechanics' library is an old lady who revels in the most sentimental love stories. Then there are several misses who draw out books of the deepest philosophy "just to show the high taste they have," the man at the desk says, and there are a number of old men who delight in reading tales of adventures for boys.

The ubiquitous tramp is a frequent caller at the Mechanics' and other free reading rooms, especially during cold or rainy weather.

The only peculiar thing about him, though, is his aversion to reading and his ability to sleep behind a newspaper without a quiver of the hand.—New York News.

## The Australian System.

Massachusetts will give the so-called Australian ballot system its first complete test on November 5, next. As this law has been passed in the interest of the purity of the ballot, its provisions should be carefully studied and thoroughly understood by all intelligent citizens. Its essential features are secret voting, freedom from interference at the polls, checking, improper use of money at elections, and lessening the expenses of candidates. The provisions of the law are briefly as follows:

Besides the sections relating to the appointment of additional election officers, providing penalties for illegal conduct, the publication of instructions to voters, the delivery of ballots to cities and towns, the act treats the subject under the head of the nomination of candidates, the printing of ballots, the form of ballots, the arrangement of voting apartments and the preparation of ballots. The law provides that all ballots shall be printed at the public expense; those cast at municipal elections being printed by the city clerk and paid for by the city, and all others being printed by the secretary of state and paid for by the state. Private ballots are not allowed, and no ballots of any kind can be taken outside the enclosure of the polling precinct.

Candidates may be nominated in any one of three ways. First, by any convention of delegates; second, by any caucus of qualified voters; third, by individual voters provided that no nomination papers for state offices must be filed with the secretary of state fourteen days before election; nomination papers for mayor and aldermen must be filed ten days, and for other city officers six days, before election with the city clerk. Nominees for state officers may withdraw not less than five days before election. Although two or more times as wide, all ballots must be of the same length and color, and printed with the same size of type as heretofore, except that women's ballots are to be typed. The outside of each ballot has an official stamp on it, and the ballot must be deposited folded, so that the names are concealed from view. Twice as many ballots are provided as there are voters, and ballots spoiled in the marking can be returned and others obtained therefor by the voter. Private lists containing names, residences and party or political appellations of all candidates must be publicly posted and also published in two newspapers before election by the secretary of state or the city clerk. Each polling place is provided with voting shelves or compartments, not less than one for every 25 voters, in which the voters may conveniently mark their ballots while screened from the observation of others. A guard rail keeps all but election officers and those actually engaged in voting at least six feet from the shelves and the ballot boxes, and only four voters in excess of the number of voting shelves are allowed in the enclosed space at one time. A voter cannot occupy a voting shelf already occupied by another, nor remain within the enclosed space more than ten minutes, nor keep a voting shelf more than five minutes, if other voters are waiting. Voting on the part of those who are physically disabled from making their ballots, can receive the assistance of one or two of the election officers. The method of voting is as follows: The voter gives his name and residence, and, if his name is found upon the check list, he enters the enclosure, receives a ballot from the ballot clerk and has his name checked upon the voting list. He then proceeds to the voting shelf, marks his ballot secretly by putting a cross opposite the name he wishes to vote for, folds his ballot, goes to the ballot box, puts his name and residence on the outside of the ballot, and, if his name is found upon the check list, places his ballot in the ballot box exactly as heretofore, and retires from the enclosure.—Milford Journal.

"Patrick, you were on a bad spree yesterday." "Yis, Mr. Ellis, I was. Bless me, if I weren't a layin' in the gutter wid a pig. Father Ryan came along, looked at me an' says, says he, 'One is known by the company he keeps.'"

"And did you get up, Patrick?" "No, but the pig did."—Montreal Signal.

"If women are not good enough to be Freemasons," said she, with pouting lips, the other day, "will you please tell me why?" "My dear, that is the very trouble. You are too good. The necessity for your membership does not exist. Masonry was founded to make men better, and goodness knows they need it."—London World.

"Since you have insisted on trying on my hat, Miss Mabel, I shall certainly claim the forfeit." "I don't know what you mean, sir; and besides this isn't a good place; they can see us from the hotel."—Life.

"Doesn't it embarrass you to be kissed by your husband before a car full of people?" "Embarrass me?" replied the lady who was starting off on a journey, a s.e. seated herself in a seat and looked at the questioner. "Did John kiss me when he said good-bye? I declare I didn't notice it. Is my hat on straight, Laura?"—San Francisco Post.

"Oh, papa! how funny you are still alive," said Master Tommy, aged five, running up to the bedside of his father, who had been attacked by an epidemic disease. "Why, there's Mr. Smith next door, has just been buried and he was took sick a whole week before you."—Pittsburgh Courier.

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—Henry S. Williams is at the shore for a few days.

—The Centre clerks defeated a picked nine this week.

—Mr. A. P. Roffe is building an extensive stable on his place.

—The Reed estate on Kimball street is occupied by Mr. Ashley.

—Miss Carrie F. Dudley returned Friday from Portland, Me.

—Prof. S. A. Emery and family returned this week from Pigeon Cove.

—Mr. John Briggs, Jr., has returned from an enjoyable vacation.

—Mrs. Lemuel C. Barnes is staying at Magnolia for a week or two.

—Mr. S. A. Shannon and family have returned from Franconia, N. H.

—Mrs. M. O. Rice and family have returned to their Centre street home.

—Prof. Brown has returned from his vacation at Hampton Falls, N. H.

—Mr. Henry Wheeler has moved from the Coolidge block to South Boston.

—Miss Lizzie Smith of Summer street has returned from Gloucester, Mass.

—Mrs. H. E. Reed and Miss Alice Reed returned this week from Brant Rock.

—Mr. Chas. A. Park has taken Mr. D. W. Brownell's house on Centre street.

—Mrs. C. P. Huestis of Sargent street has returned from a pleasant vacation.

—Rev. Mr. Froehock has taken the Kingsbury homestead on Homer street.

—Mrs. Hamlin and daughter have returned to their home on Ridge avenue.

—Mr. James D. Greene and family of Chase street are at Jackson Falls, N. H.

—Mrs. S. E. Little and daughter of Webster court have returned from Rye beach.

—Misses Friend and Cook will commence their school on Pelham street next week.

—The foundation of Mr. John A. Daniels' house on Parker street is being laid.

—Mr. A. L. Harwood of the Mason school has returned from his summer's vacation.

—Mr. T. L. Rogers and family of Ward street have returned from Centre Harbor.

—Mrs. M. C. Skilton and family have returned to their residence on Homer street.

—Wm. Cooney is taking Robert Weirs' place on the latter's carriage in his absence.

—Miss Ellen Cook of Pelham street has returned from her summer visit to Rhode Island.

—Mr. Stephen Emery and family returned Tuesday to their residence on Hancock avenue.

—Mr. Benjamin Hammond and family have returned to their residence on Ridge avenue.

—Mr. Lawrence Mayo of Homer street and family returned from North Scituate Monday.

—Miss Endora Bassett is at Roxbury, Mass., with her grandmother, Mrs. G. S. Chesney.

—Mr. H. E. Twombly and family of Crescent avenue have returned from their vacation.

—Miss Chadsey of Warren, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. B. Moore on Summer street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Drennan with their daughter Dora, are taking a vacation at Plymouth.

—Rev. Dr. Butler and family have returned to their Crescent street home, from Pigeon Cove.

—Mr. Samuel Shannon and family of Moreland avenue returned from their vacation Monday.

—The Newton Centre clerks wish to meet the Highlands base ball club next Thursday, the 12th.

—Mrs. L. G. Howes and family of Moreland avenue have gone to Clifton, Mass., on their vacation.

—Miss Elizabeth Friend has returned to Pelham street from a very enjoyable vacation in Maine.

—Mrs. A. C. Ferry and family of Pleasant street are expected home to-day from Boothbay, Me.

—Rev. Horace Wheeler returned on Wednesday from Mt. Desert, where he has been for three weeks.

—Two of the large shade trees in front of Mr. W. H. Hahn's apothecary store have been cut down.

—Dr. Bodge has so far recovered as to be able to take short walks, and he hopes soon to be fully recovered.

—Mr. Chas. D. Barry and family have returned from their vacation, to their residence on Station street.

—Mr. Wm. C. Avery has removed from Walnut Hill to the house corner of Crystal avenue and Beacon street.

—Mr. D. S. Farnham and family have returned from Kennebunk Beach, Me., where they have spent the season.

—Mrs. E. H. Fennessey and daughter of Cedar street have returned from their summer's sojourn at Cottage City.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dewey have left Mrs. Thatcher's and are now settled in their home in Concord, N. H.

—Sidney Steeves, the contractor, is building a house on Woodward avenue for Mr. S. V. A. Hunter of Lake avenue.

—Mrs. Edward F. Cutler started on Tuesday for New Jersey, where she intends remaining a month or more.

—Mr. Henry Warren of Station street left on Wednesday for Chicago and the different western states on business.

—Mr. Frank Pope of Ridge avenue left here on Wednesday for Maine, where he intends passing the next two weeks.

—Mr. D. W. Brownell and family have returned to the house recently occupied by Mr. W. B. Kallott on Pelham street.

—Mrs. C. B. Garey of Lyman street is entertaining Mrs. Boothby and daughter, Mrs. Prentiss Jordan, of Portland, Me.

—Waban station was entered by burglars Tuesday night and the ticket case broken open, but nothing of value was taken.

—Mr. L. R. Stevens and family contemplate an extended trip to Washington, D. C., and other places, in the near future.

—Rev. George M. Boynton and family returned this week from their summer's vacation and are at their home on Station St.

—Mr. Chas. Copeland, the artist, and family, returned from Thomaston, Me., to their residence on Grant avenue this week.

—Master Arthur Wade, son of Hon. Levi C. Wade, returned this week from Poplin Beach, Me., where he has been camping out.

—The class at the Institute is unusually large this year, and students and teachers were in their old places on Tuesday morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Stevens and son returned the first of the week from Cape Cod, where they have been visiting relatives.

—Miss Annie Bassett, who has been the guest of Mrs. Joshua Parker at her sea shore home at Hyannis, returned this week.

—Mrs. C. A. Clark's family of Lake avenue have returned from their summer stay at the Jefferson Hill House, White Mountains.

—Mr. and Mrs. John H. Sanborn and Mrs. Sanborn's father, Mr. Foote of New York, are at the White Mountains for a few weeks.

—Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Holmes have returned home from their vacation and Rev. Mr. Holmes will occupy his pulpit as usual Sunday morning.

—Miss Georgie Bucknam and Miss Ellen Baker, of the Mason school, have returned from their vacation, and are boarding with Miss Ella Hood.

—Miss Carrie Capron and her brother, Mr. Philip Capron, left the middle of the week for the mountains, where they intend passing a week or two.

—Robert Weir, the popular carriage driver at the depot, has gone to New Brunswick, where Mrs. Weir and child have been spending the summer.

—Mrs. Lecompte and children, with Miss Adelaide Lecompte, returned the last week from Southwest Harbor, Me., where they have passed the summer.

—European letters from Rev. Dr. Clark say that his improvement in health is very noticeable, and that he is really surprised at his great gain in strength.

—Mrs. A. B. White of Summer street returned from Europe on the Ancharia, Sunday last, after a most delightful trip through England and the Continent.

—Mrs. Consens of Summer street returned this week from a short stay in Gardiner. She has quite recovered her health after a severe illness of nearly two years.

—The house at the corner of Institution avenue and Beacon street, recently purchased by Mr. Mellen Bray, is being extensively altered by Sidney Steeves and his carpenters.

—Rev. J. C. F. Grumbine of Syracuse, N. Y., will occupy the pulpit of the Unitarian church next Sunday morning. It is expected that the Sunday school will meet at 2 o'clock on the following Sunday.

—Mrs. J. B. Elliot, wife of Dr. Elliot of Centre street, died Tuesday morning in Worcester, Mass., where she has been spending the summer. The funeral was held at Dr. Elliot's old home in Grafton on Thursday.

—Rev. and Mrs. L. C. Barnes returned last Friday from Jackson Falls, N. H., much refreshed by their summer's vacation. Mr. Barnes was at the Friday evening prayer meeting and filled his accustomed place on Sunday morning.

—List of letters advertised at Newton Centre, Sept. 2nd, 1889: Miss Margaret L. Brown, Mrs. Kate Biggins, Mr. Wm. Collier, Mrs. R. W. Emerson, Mrs. Lillie Harter, Mr. Chas. McGuire, Mrs. John R. Needham, Mr. C. P. Page, Mr. Henry Wallace, Mr. James Yuill.

—A party of twenty of the friends and relatives of Mrs. Mary W. Sherman of Cypress street called upon and surprised her last Thursday evening, the occasion being her fifteenth birthday. Refreshments were provided by the visitors and a very pleasant evening passed. Among those present were Mr. A. A. Sherman and family, Mr. Wm. B. Sherman and family, Mr. W. and G. W. Munroe, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Frost, Mrs. Vale and Miss Little. Presents were received from her eldest daughter in Portland, and her daughter, Mrs. Super of Brooklyn, N. Y., besides numerous presents from those present.

—Three places were visited by burglars Tuesday night. Mr. J. C. Hartshorn's residence on Institution avenue was entered through the conservatory, but the intruders were scared away by Mrs. Hartshorn turning on the hall light. She then called up the coachman but no trace of the thief was discovered outside the house. The next place entered was Mr. John H. Sanborn's on Clark street, the thieves gaining admittance through the kitchen door by nippers, but doing no further harm than rinking some milk in the cellar. At Rev. O. W. Gates, Mr. Gates was aroused by a noise, struck a light, and saw the man leave the room. In his flight he left a pair of trousers which he had taken, on the piazza, minus a one-dollar bill, this one dollar bill being all the loss in these three visitations.

### NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—"To brighten Monday, use Magic."

—Mr. Arthur Hartwell has returned from his vacation.

—Mr. G. B. Lapham and family are at home from their vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Beal have gone to Marshfield for a few days.

—Rev. Mr. Harriman is laboring as an evangelist at Milford, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Edmonds have as their guest Miss Denny of Brookline.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. F. C. Hyde are at home from their vacation visit to Warren, N. H.

—Mr. E. Gott is at home from his trip to Maine. His family will remain another week.

—Mr. George S. Bryant and family have returned from their sojourn in New Hampshire.

—Mr. S. W. Jones and family have returned from their trip to the White Mountains.

—Miss Ida Collins of Waban, who has been to the White Mountains, has arrived home.

—Mr. H. N. Williams has moved from Columbia street to the Lane house on Floral avenue.

—Mr. David Bates and family have returned from their sojourn of two weeks at North Weare, N. H.

—Mrs. Heckman has been in Boston for several weeks, in attendance upon her mother, who is very ill.

—On Saturday, Sept. 7th, the Base Ball Club play the married men of the village. Local fun is expected.

—Mr. T. W. Mullen has moved his house to the rear of his shop and has commenced the cellar for his new house.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ferren of Winchester street have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Clark of Taunton.

—Mr. A. D. Locke of Bowdoin street has purchased of his father at Waban a house lot, fronting on Beacon street.

—The local business men of the Highlands went to Sawin's Grove on Wednesday and had a very enjoyable time.

—Miss Adelle Shaw, lately from Gotten gen, Germany, has been visiting at Mrs. Estabrook's. She has left for New York.

—Mr. Charles Ogden and family have returned to their home at the Highlands, after an absence of several months in Vermont.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Small and Mr. E. E. Bird and family, who have been spending two weeks at Woodstock, N. H., are now at home.

—Rev. C. P. Mills has received a call to go to Kalamazoo, Mich., to take the rectorship of a large Episcopal society, and a very liberal salary.

—Mr. O. J. Kimball has been laid up in New York for the past week with an ulcerated tooth, but is now improving and is expected home.

—The Congregational Sewing Circle will hold its annual meeting in the chapel on Wednesday for the choice of officers and other business matters.

—The boys are cautioned not to allow so much noise upon the base ball grounds, otherwise it will be declared a nuisance by the occupants of the adjoining premises.

—Mr. Ainsworth and family have moved into Mr. Stevens' house on Lincoln street, for a short stay, while Mr. W. C. Strong is having a house finished for their occupancy at Waban.

—Mr. J. W. Warren of Winchester street was united in marriage to Miss Cora Belle Arthur, at his residence, on Tuesday evening, Rev. Mr. Phillips performing the marriage ceremony.

—Mr. George H. Bryant left the Highlands on Monday, and will make a business trip to Denver and then on to Mexico, San Francisco and to Washington Territory, and expects to be absent until about Christmas next week.

—Miss Harriet Brooks returned from Europe on the fine steamer City of Paris which made the ocean passage in five days, nineteen hours and twenty-three minutes. She expects to be at her post in the High School next week.

—Miss Emma Stevens, who has been a teacher in one of the public schools at Dunbarton, N. H., after urgent solicitation, has returned there and will probably remain until after the next summer vacation, when she intends to attend a normal school.

—On Monday the Newton Highlands Base Ball Club defeated the Red Stockings of Cambridge in a finely contested game. While all the players deserve a great deal of credit the following players were the most noticeable: The fielding of Geyer, Bond and Moore, the batting of Levi, the fine ground stops of Fitz and Kimball, the double plays of Fitzgerald and the pitching of Kissler. The score was 10 to 4.

—On Labor day morning the Highlands base ball grounds were occupied by two South Boston clubs, who seemed to enjoy themselves with a friendly game. No kicking at the ruling of the Umpire; we did not hear the result of the game, but guess that the side that gave the Umpire that dollar won the game. Those who witnessed the game were satisfied that the Newton Highlands air braved up both sides for their day's pleasure. Come again.

—It is a pleasure for our citizens to witness the games of base ball that are played on the grounds of the Newton Highlands club, but when such rowdiness was displayed on the grounds of Labor day, by a party who accompanied the visiting club, the Red Stockings of Cambridge, it becomes a nuisance; the Red Stockings club behaved well (except a little kicking) and played a sharp game, but this time the Newton Highlands club was the victor.

—Late, late, late—this has been the cry for a long time past, owing to the tardiness of the N. Y. & N. E. R. R., and the patrons of the Circuit road going east have reason for complaint, for that five minutes delay causes hours of lost time in Boston. It is not fair that the promptness with which the Boston & Albany railroad runs its trains should be retarded by the mismanagement of another road. We think the N. Y. & N. E. R. R. should instruct their conductors to start after two minutes delay, unless the upper trains are in sight.

### NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Mr. John Holmes is visiting his mother on Spring avenue.

—Mr. L. P. Everett has returned from his trip to Bar Harbor.

—Mr. E. A. Flagg has returned from his vacation in Rhode Island.

—Mr. F. M. Train is taking a few days' vacation at Duxbury, Mass.

—Mr. Walter T. Phipps has returned from the White Mountains.

—Mr. S. A. Piper has returned from the camp-meeting at Altam Bay, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Warren and child are spending their vacation down East.

—The gutters at the corner of Winter and Chestnut streets are being newly paved.

—The Elliotts were defeated by the St. Marvs, Tuesday last, by a score of 16 to 8.

—Mr. Trask, who has been visiting her sister in Grafton, Mass., has returned home.

—Miss Ellen Leary and Miss Mary Buckley returned from their trip to Bar Harbor, last Tuesday.

—Mr. J. B. Newell and party returned last Saturday from their pleasant carriage trip to Mt. Wachusett.

—Mr. William Hutehinson has removed his family to Canton, going home from his work here once a week.

—Mr. Fred Stockman has returned from Kentucky, where he has been book-keeping on a large stock farm for the past year.

—Mr. James Sheridan, who has been spending his vacation at Bar Harbor and the Green Mountains, has arrived home.

—Masters Frank and Fred Bosworth are visiting their aunt in Dorchester, before returning to their home in North Attleboro.

—The business men of Upper Falls and the Highlands, to the number of eighteen or twenty, had a picnic at Savin's Grove, Dorchester, last Wednesday.

—The Glees visited Woodland Park, West Medford, on Labor Day and were defeated there 6 to 0, in six innings, owing to some trouble with the umpire.

—Edward Hardigan, who returned but two weeks ago from the West, where he went on account of ill health, died Tuesday, the 27th, and was buried on Sunday.

—The business men observed Labor Day by closing their places of business. Echo Bridge had a large number of visitors and boys reaped a harvest of dimes and quarters holding horses.

—The prospects of this place gained the 16-year-old championship of Newton, this week, when they defeated the Stars at Newton Centre. This game was the last of a series and the score stood 21 to 20.

—The Pettie Machine Works have just got in a new engine of eighty horse-power to do their work. Owing to a break, when the engine was first started last Tuesday, the works shut down until repairs are completed.

—A very interesting and instructive course of meetings is being held this week in the Methodist church at Allenville, where Rev. Dr. Peterson officiates. Extensive alterations and improvements have recently been completed and the church is once more in condition for worship. The Sunday services were led by Dr. S. F. Upham, president of the Drew Theological Seminary of New Jersey. Monday evening, owing to the inability of Dr. Chadbourne of Boston to be present, the Rev. Joshua Gill of that city presided, and Wednesday evening Rev. Dr. J. W. Hamilton of Boston. This evening the audience will be addressed by Dr. Parkhurst, editor of Zion's Herald, and next Sunday Rev. Dr. McKee of Newton will speak.

### NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—Labor Day was generally observed by the people here.

—Mr. Cephas Brigham is visiting at Northampton.

—F. C. Crehore & Sons, paper manufacturers, are having their mill repaired now, as it is shut down for a short time.

—Dr. Baker has been unusually busy since a return home, and the people are very fortunate to have such a skillful physician so close at hand.

—Mr. Harry Allison, brakeman, and Mr. S. E. Jones, fireman, are confined to their homes with malaria. Their places are filled by their brother workmen doubling.

—Mr. Joseph Seaver, station agent, cut a large gash in his foot last Friday, caused by an axe slipping while chopping wood. He is now able to attend to his regular duties, however.

—A number of people from this village visited Wellesley, Labor Day, for the purpose of witnessing the annual tournament of the Wellesley Hills Lawn Tennis Association. Some fine playing took place.

—The last of the present week will see the completion of the culvert which is being built under the railroad platform. Wellesley is expending a large amount of money on this part of the town and it will surely be appreciated by Newton and Wellesley people.

—The Methodist Episcopal Society held a picnic at Farm Lake Grove, Sherborn, two barges being chartered by Mr. C. H. Spring to convey the merry-makers to and from the grounds. The day was all that could be desired and a joyful time was had by all visiting teams. The final score of the afternoon game, Labor Day, between the Juniors of Waltham and Twilights resulted as follows: Twilights, 26; Walthams, 21.

—The Twilights of this village vanquished the Marcellas of Roxbury last Saturday by a score of 24 to 12. The game between the Aucklands and Twilights, Labor Day, at the close of 4 innings, was 10 to 2 in visit visiting team's favor. The final score of the afternoon game, Labor Day, between the Juniors of Waltham and Twilights resulted as follows: Twilights, 26; Walthams, 21.

### NONANTUM.

—Mr. Geo. Fisher visited Newport on Thursday.

—Miss Effie Sharp is receiving a visit from two cousins from Worcester.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Chapman spent Sunday and Monday last at Crescent Beach.

—Mr. Robert Atchinson has taken to himself his wife and has gone to housekeeping on California street.

—Mr. Reuben Forkner is running the grocery wagon for Fletcher & Towne during Mr. Fletcher's illness.

—Mrs. Abraham Sampson has returned from Nova Scotia, where she has been spending the past four months.

—Last Monday afternoon the Young Men's Christian Association nine of Waltham played a game of ball on the rubber with the Roxbury club, resulting in an easy victory for the Y. M. C. A. The grounds in Waltham were all taken up so that they were obliged to come here.

—Mrs. Edwin Leaver, nee Maggie Feely, formerly of this village but recently a resident of Saugus, Mass., died very suddenly at her home last Sunday. Her father and Mr. James Elery, her brother-in-law, and Mr. and Mrs. Leaver last Saturday intending to remain over Sunday and Monday, but Sunday morning Mrs. Leaver was taken ill and died in two hours.

—Charley's Olive Branch Juvenile Temple held a public temperance meeting in the upper Athol Hall, on Tuesday evening last, the meeting consisted of songs and recitations by the members of the Temple, Mr. Thos. Waldon read a piece entitled "John Jenkins' Sermon;" the address was by Mr. John R. Anderson, who made a strong appeal on behalf of the young for the removal of the causes of intemperance from the home and state.

—Last week Thursday, Thomas Starr, employed as teamster by E. F. Jennings, started with his team for Lancaster, picking up two friends on the way, Allick Clayton and John Smith. They left him at Lancaster Friday noon. He put up the team at Mr. Whites in that town and since then nothing has been heard of him. The man stated that Starr had gone to look for work. His friends are very much alarmed as he was a sober, industrious man, and has a wife and two children here, in a comfortable home, to which he was much attached. Mrs. Starr and her brother visited the Boston morgue to view the remains of a man who had been picked up in Dorchester Bay, but were unable to identify it positively, and Capt. C. E. and Officer C. O. Davis also viewed the body, but were unable to say whether it was that of Starr or not.

### Board of Health.

The Board of Health held a meeting at city hall last Wednesday afternoon at 4:20 o'clock, Messrs. Pettie, Wiswall, Frisbie, and agent French being present. Alderman Pettie presided and the following business was transacted. The city engineer and city solicitor recommended the abatement of the Murray street drain nuisance in the manner adopted in abating the Knowles street nuisance. Their report was accepted and laid on the table.

A report of the completion of the Knowles street drain at an expense of about \$550 was accepted and laid on the table. A complaint from Mr. A. Buckett and others on Washington street, in regard to annoyance from the henery of J. M. Briggs was received and laid on the table. Several bills were read and approved.

Complaints of the odors from the mill and refuse carts were read and the agent was ordered to recommend the procuring of new and more suitable carts by the contractor.

The agent was instructed to investigate and report at the next meeting of the board, relative to the drainage nuisance near Clinton street.

On the subject of an ambulance, Dr. Frisbie reported progress and was given further time.

Dr. Frisbie strongly recommended the use of iron pipe by the water board, in place of the lead pipe, also suggesting that the agent ascertain the relative effect of the use of the iron and lead pipe in other cities.

A suggestion of Mr. Pettie to visit Deer Island to investigate the institutions there was accepted, and the board adjourned to Wednesday, Sept. 17th, at 4:30.

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Boston in said Massachusetts, on Saturday the  
21st day of September in said year 1889, at twelve  
o'clock noon, for the following purposes:—

1. To organize said meeting.  
2. To adopt by laws for said corporation.  
3. To choose all necessary officers for said  
corporation.

4. To take such action as may be thought  
proper in reference to subscriptions for the cap-  
ital stock of said corporation and payment for the  
same.

5. To transact any other business which may  
properly come before said meeting.

James W. French, Albert P. Fairbanks, Lewis  
E. Coffin, Thomas B. Calrow,  
A majority of the persons named in the act of  
incorporation of the Newton Real Estate As-  
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pers." Merritt—"If that's what you're  
after, you'll have to do something bad."

—[Harper's Bazar.

### NEWTON.

—Mr. C. E. Billings and family have ar-  
rived home from Magnolia.

—Francis Murdoch & Co. are offering  
some great bargains in rugs.

—Rev. Mr. Titus's family have returned  
home from their western trip.

—John McCormack was injured by a fall  
from a coal team last Monday.

—James McDonald of C. O. Tucker & Co.  
has recovered from his injuries.

—Miss Mabel Dyer has gone to Falmouth,  
Mass., to accept a position as teacher.

—Miss Cora Lane is at home from Mil-  
ford for a few days, visiting her parents.

—Be sure and attend your Republican  
ward caucus tomorrow, Saturday, night.

—Mr. Welcome B. Beal has taken a posi-  
tion with Pain's Furniture Co. in Boston.

—Rev. Francis B. Hornbroke and family  
have returned from their summer vacation.

—The Turner Centre Creamery Butter at  
G. P. Atkins always gives perfect satisfac-  
tion.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Petersilea have  
arrived home from their vacation in New  
Hampshire.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Fearing have re-  
turned from Clifton, Mass., to their home  
on Park street.

—Mr. J. D. Kingsley of Waverly avenue  
and family have returned from their sum-  
mer's vacation.

—The Channing Sunday school will be-  
gin its services at twelve o'clock next Sun-  
day, Sept. 16th.

—The Eliot chorus choir resumed its  
duties for the first time after the summer  
vacation last Sunday.

—Mr. Edward Buckingham left on Tues-  
day for Germany, to continue his studies at  
the German Universities.

—Women who mean to vote for school  
committee should remember that the time  
for assessment closes Oct. 1.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Paine have returned  
from their wedding trip, and are at their  
home on Newtonville avenue.

—Mr. U. C. Crosby and family returned  
on Thursday from their summer's visit at  
the Algonquin, St. Andrews, N. B.

—Attorney C. F. Rogers had the misfor-  
tune to sprain his ankle last Friday, but he  
is now able to attend to business again.

—Prof. Mother of Amherst preached two  
very able sermons at the Eliot church last  
Sunday, before large congregations.

—Mr. Warren Jaquith is very ill from a  
malarial attack and has been confined to  
his bed since his return from his vacation.

—Dr. H. M. Field left this morning for  
his annual lecture course at Dartmouth  
Medical college, and will be absent about a  
month.

—Pleasant, sunny rooms, with board,  
can be engaged at Mrs. Frankland's, cor-  
ner Centre and Hollis streets, for the  
winter.

—Patrick Maloney fell from his back on  
West street, Wednesday, while suffering  
from a fit of some kind, and was badly  
bruised.

—The small house left standing on the  
Fuller estate is to be moved to Mr. T. L.  
Mason's lot, at the end of Nonantum place,  
and fitted up for rental.

—Mr. James S. Stone, who graduated at  
Harvard last summer, leaves Monday to  
join the Texas Geological Survey, and will  
probably be absent a year.

—Mr. U. G. McQueen has the contract  
for remodeling the Judge Park house on  
Newtonville avenue, for Mr. J. R. W. Shap-  
leigh, who will occupy it when completed.

—Mr. E. B. Blackwell had the misfor-  
tune to lose his pocketbook, while in Leominster  
on Tuesday, but it was found by an honest  
person and sent to him by express Tuesday  
night.

—Mrs. J. Q. Henry and family are ex-  
pected home from the White Mountains  
next Monday. They have taken Mrs.  
Buckingham's house on Baldwin street for  
the winter.

—Mr. R. O. Evans has been suffering  
from ill health for several weeks, but he is  
able to be about the house and his friends  
hope for a steady improvement with the  
coming of settled weather.

—Rev. Edward Anderson of Norwalk,  
Conn., who is said to be a very able speaker,  
will occupy the pulpit at Eliot church,  
Sunday. Rev. Mr. Calkins' vacation ex-  
tends over the next three Sundays.

—The summer weather of last week has  
been place to a very late-in-the-fall condi-  
tion of things, and the rain and wind would  
answer very well for the equinoctial  
storm, which is due in about ten days.

—Ex-Governor Claflin attended a re-  
union of old residents of Milford, last  
Saturday, at the residence of Samuel  
Hoy of Hopedale. The reunion was from 75  
to 100 present and their average age was 65.

—Mr. H. M. Walton is very busy this  
week getting the musical department of the  
public schools into running order. There  
are some 87 school rooms in the city to  
visit, and it takes nearly two weeks to  
make the rounds.

—Mr. Henry E. Cobb, Mr. A. S. March,  
Mr. J. S. Potter and their families will re-  
turn from their stay at Ingewood, New  
Brunswick, next Monday. Mr. and Mrs.  
J. B. Goodrich, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore  
Norton of Newton Centre, Miss Helen  
Cobb, H. S. Potter and Miss Emily Potter  
returned last Saturday.

—The reservoir on Waban Hill is being  
cleaned out this week and the water is  
pumped directly into the pipes, which ac-  
counts for the queer noises in the pipes,  
and the way some of the meters are said to  
be working. The reservoir needs cleaning  
badly, to free it from the vegetable growth  
that has appeared there. The work will  
probably be finished in a day or two.

—One of the first lessons which should be  
taught the school children is that steal-  
ing fruit and flowers is a sin and a crime,  
says the Cambridge Daily. The fruit  
thieves of today will be in the prisons of  
the state, five or ten years hence, if they are  
not taught better. Most of them have had  
no home training on this line, and will get  
none anywhere unless the teachers give it.

—Aban, Trowbridge & Co. have rented  
the west half of Mr. Emerson's new double  
house on Pearl street, opposite Channing  
street, a very handsome structure and com-  
plete in all its appointments, to Mr. W. A.  
Day of Boston, the house to be ready for  
occupancy Oct. 15. Also the apartment in  
Lancaster Block, over the postoffice, to  
Mrs. A. Livermore, recently of Chicago  
and formerly of Newton.

—Few changes at the Bigelow school are  
apparent over last year. The resignation  
of Miss Shelton and Miss Putney has  
left two vacancies, which have been filled  
by Miss Prime of the Eliot and Miss Dou-  
kin of the Jackson schools. The Bigelow  
numbers at the present time 330 members,  
and the Underwood 149. The Bigelow is  
relieved, a measure, although very little,  
by the absence of the Lincoln school in-  
flow, which now goes to the Eliot school.

—Complaints have been made of the dis-  
orderly conduct of strolling parties of half  
grown boys and girls who occasionally visit  
Farlow Park on Sundays. No one seems

to know where they come from. It can  
hardly be that they are residents of New-  
ton, for they behave like hoodlums. An  
occasional arrest might teach them that  
while they are as welcome as others to en-  
joy the park, they must not drive respecta-  
ble people away by disgusting behavior.

—Many people in Newton do not see why  
the same principle should not apply here  
that was followed in Newtonville. We  
have the best managed postoffice and the  
most satisfactory postmaster Newton ever  
had, and the only reason for a change is  
that he is a Democrat. What difference  
does a postmaster's politics make, as long  
as the patrons of the office have their mail  
matters handled promptly, and the service  
is efficient? Why not apply business prin-  
ciples to the postoffice, instead of regard-  
ing them as "spoils" for political workers?

—A public hearing in the matter of the  
location of the track on Washington street  
will be held before the board of aldermen,  
Monday evening. As the railway company  
are all ready to go right ahead on the con-  
struction of this road, it is hoped and ex-  
pected that the necessary orders will be  
passed at this meeting, settling this matter  
of location and also making the modifica-  
tions and changes asked for by the railroad  
in the matter of form of construction. The  
first consignment of ties have arrived and  
are now located at the side of the street  
near West Newton. 150 tons of rails for  
Washington street track were shipped from  
Philadelphia on the 10th inst., and are ex-  
pected daily. The contractors are waiting  
for notice that the material is all here,  
and street in their possession, when ground  
will be broken, doubtless at the West New-  
ton end, and pushed with all possible  
speed.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Prescott were  
pleasantly surprised, Monday evening, at  
their new house, just completed, on the  
Shannon estate, by about thirty of their  
friends from the Nonantum Colony of Pil-  
grim Fathers, of which they are members,  
and other friends from Boston. Among  
those present were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W.  
Bush and sister, Mr. James Henthorne, Mr.  
and Mrs. Lane and Mr. and Mrs. Richard-  
son. The members of Nonantum Colony  
presented a very handsome lamp to Mr.  
Prescott and a large and handsome picture  
entitled "The Harvest Moon" to Mrs. Pres-  
cott. Mr. and Mrs. Needham, nephew and  
niece of Mr. and Mrs. Prescott, and Mrs.  
Needham, Mrs. Prescott's sister, presented  
them with a fine picture, "The Cotter's  
Saturday Night." Refreshments were ser-  
ved, and music entertained the company  
very pleasantly. Mr. Prescott has lived on  
the Shannon estate for 24 years.

—The St. John (N. B.) Progress of Sept.  
7, gives the following account of festivi-  
ties at Musquash, where many Newton peo-  
ple have been stopping: "The first grand re-  
ception of the Ingewood season oc-  
curred at the casino connected with the  
splendid clubhouse of the Ingewood Fish  
and Game Association, Loch Alva, Aug.  
24th. The casino and clubhouse were bril-  
liantly illuminated, hung with Chinese lan-  
terns and flags of all nations, and formed,  
with the silvery lake in front and magnif-  
icent background of the forest, a truly  
beautiful and artistic picture. Commodore  
Henry Cobb's fine Lakeside cottage, and  
Vice-President March's unique log cabin,  
were represented by the Misses Cobb, of  
Newton, Mass., Miss Wilcox, of Chicago;  
Miss Jones, of Newton, Mass.; Miss Potter,  
of Texas; and Miss Miriam, of Boston. The  
young ladies were all bewitchingly attired  
in yachting costumes, and were chaperoned  
by Mr. Henry E. Cobb, Mrs. Andrew S.  
March, Mrs. Goodrich and Mrs. Potter. The  
music was of a high order and was  
furnished by the Goodrich and Wyatt or-  
chestra. Dancing was indulged in until a  
late hour, when the merry party separated  
to the music of old-time songs, voting the  
first reception an immense success.

—At the Eliot school there has been a  
number of changes in teachers. Miss E.  
B. Prime was transferred to the Bigelow,  
Miss A. L. Hazleton of West Newton  
taking her place. Miss H. A. Miller  
has been granted a three months' leave  
of absence on account of illness, and  
C. W. Morehouse is substituting in her  
place. There has been a large influx  
of scholars this year over last year. The  
change in the districts has brought the  
Lincoln school within the limits of the  
Eliot school district, thus making two  
tributary schools—the Jackson and the  
Lincoln, which accounts in a great mea-  
sure for the overflow, some of which has  
been transferred to the Bigelow school,  
the accommodations at the Eliot school  
being unequal to the demand. At the  
Jackson school Miss E. M. Dunkin has  
been promoted to the Bigelow school,  
and Miss Lillian Rogers of Newton takes  
her place. Concrete walks have been  
laid about the building, the surroundings  
being much improved thereby.

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Sunday was increased in attendance and  
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## CITY GOVERNMENT.

## THE NEW MEMBERS SWORN IN AND BUSINESS RESUMED.

The board of aldermen met in special session, Monday night, Alderman Pettee in the chair, Mayor Burr being absent from the city. All the members were present but Alderman Johnson.

The result of the recent special election was declared, that E. S. Hamblen was elected alderman from Ward 7 and E. L. Collins councilman from Ward 5.

On motion of Alderman Tolman the common council was informed of the news, and Alderman-Elect Hamblen was duly sworn in by Alderman Pettee, and the common council informed of the fact.

A message from the common council stated that Ephraim S. Hamblen had resigned his seat in that body.

A communication from the overseers of the poor was received stating that a vacancy existed in that body by reason of the death of John Warner of Ward 7.

Alderman Hamblen moved that two aldermen and such as the common council might appoint be a committee to make a nomination to fill the vacancy. The motion passed and President Pettee appointed Aldermen Hamblen and Childs, and President Bond appointed Councilmen Rice, Forknell and Hall.

Alderman Tolman presented several communications from residents of Temple street, protesting against allowing any poles to be erected on that street; referred to highway committee.

Mr. Hinman and others asked for sidewalks on Central street; J. B. Holway, sidewalks on Chestnut street, Ward 5; referred to highway committee.

Councilman Hyde appeared with a message from the common council, stating that E. L. Collins had been duly qualified as a member of that body.

Alderman Chadwick read notice of intention to build, from Bernard Lovley, addition 12 by 15 to house on Gardner street; T. W. Mullen, house 28 by 30 on Centre street, Ward 5; H. H. Hunt, house 35 by 43 on Beacon street, and another 19 by 33 in Ward 4; J. J. Murphy, house 23 by 28 on Chase street, Ward 5.

A petition for leave to run wire from H. F. Ross's house, Walnut street, to W. Redpath's house, Highland avenue, was referred to the chief of fire department.

On the petition to have a fire alarm signal station located at the corner of Shaw and Winthrop streets, the committee recommended that it be granted, and an order was passed appropriating \$125 for the purpose.

Alderman Harbach reported leave to withdraw on John Stearns' petition to have the city repair the road on Clark street, on the ground that the city was not liable.

Alderman Harbach reported in favor of granting the petition for a relocation of Boylston street, between Winchester and Parker, and also that part of Boylston street between Eliot street and the Charles river. An order was passed granting hearings for both relocations to all parties interested, on Oct. 21st, at 8 o'clock, before the board of aldermen, and Oct. 28, at 8:15 before the common council.

Alderman Harbach also reported an order which was passed, that the \$500 received for services and materials in the highway department, in excess of the estimated receipts, be transferred to the appropriation for drains and culverts.

Alderman Chadwick reported on the petition of J. R. Dean and others for a chemical engine or hose carriage at Newton Highlands, and recommended that land be purchased for a site, at a cost not to exceed \$2,500, and that provision be made for this appropriation in the estimates for 1890.

Alderman Chadwick also presented an order granting a license for the removal of a small out-building from the Clafin school lot to Cross street.

## A HEARING.

was then given on Mr. T. L. Mason's petition for license to remove a building from the old Fuller estate down Nonantum place to his lot. Alderman Childs said he had endorsed the petition, with the statement that the building could be moved without encroaching on any public or private property.

Mr. Mason said that he wished to move the house on to his lot and fit it up for a dwelling house, to rent. It would have about 10 rooms, and no public or private property would be harmed by the removal.

Mr. McLean, who is to have charge of the moving, said that he had measured the street and the house, and that all danger of interference with any one might be removed, they would cut the building so that it would not be quite 20 feet wide. In answer to Alderman Childs he stated that Mr. Stearns' house encroached on the street line some five or six feet, that is if the street was laid out on a straight line.

Mr. G. S. Brazier said that Mr. W. H. Stearns had wished him to appear and object, as he thought it would be a detriment to his property. The residents had spent \$10,000 to abolish the house, and they did not want any more placed there. They objected to so many small houses in that neighborhood. In reply to Alderman Childs, he admitted that Mr. Stearns had threatened to sell to the Irishman he could find, if the house was moved there. Mr. Brazier was rather sharply cross-questioned by Alderman Childs and the hearing was then closed.

Alderman Childs then made an eloquent speech in favor of granting the petition, stating that Mr. Mason was a worthy citizen who had come to Newton to live, had built up a good business here, had bought a house and intended to make his home here. No objections were raised to the removal till Mr. Stearns came back and made his threat. Mr. Mason owned a large vacant lot and he wished to make it pay him something. The moving would only hurt two limbs of some cherry trees on Mrs. Brazier's place, and it would be no improvement to have these limbs cut off, and he moved that the original petition be granted.

Alderman Chadwick said the only question the board had to decide was whether the removal would injure public or private property. If not they had no option in the matter.

Alderman Hamblen said it was a rather new question to him, but he did not think the removal would hurt anything on the street.

Alderman Childs said he was willing to guarantee that there would be no injury, and the license was then granted.

W. O. Knapp asked for street lamp in front of his house on Walnut street, and Chas. S. Davis and S. A. Emery for two street lamps on Hancock street.

A recess of 15 minutes was then taken, after which Alderman Tolman pre-

sented from the finance committee an order appropriating \$2,100 to the Board of Health, instead of the \$2,500 asked for. The board had already exceeded their appropriation by \$438, and an estimate for their expenses for the rest of the year was only \$37 over the amount recommended, and he thought they would get along with the order as it was passed by a yeas and nays vote, and the money charged to unexpended balances or to next year's appropriation.

An order was passed, appropriating \$200 to be paid to Harry W. Mason, for services for the assessors, in making abstracts of deeds, after which the board adjourned.

## The Common Council.

In the Common Council all the members were present save Councilman Randall. E. L. Collins was sworn in as member from Ward Five, and an order passed notifying the Board of Aldermen of the vacancy from Ward Seven.

Resolutions were presented, testifying to the board's appreciation of their late member, E. S. Hamblen, who had gone up higher, to the board of aldermen, and expressing their admiration of his faithful service.

Concurrent business was disposed of. The order was passed appropriating \$10,000 for the Newton Centre playground, gave rise to quite a debate, Messrs. Hyde and Richardson advocating it, and Messrs. Wall, Luke and Fenno opposing. The order was finally passed 9 to 3, which, as there was one vacancy on the board, made a two-thirds vote.

The order appropriating \$500 for the removal of the pipe works was laid on the table, as it was doubted whether the sum was sufficient for the purpose.

On motion of Councilman Wiswall a resolution was presented, and was on the opinion of the city council that all land purchased by the city for public playgrounds, should be forever kept open and used for that purpose.

The council then adjourned.

## The Governorship.

[Lynn Transcript.] It is not presumable that the Vice-President of the United States ever entertains a serious idea that he is heir apparent to the chair of State.

These remarks are only general; they are inspired by a particle of prejudice against our dignified, courteous and, we believe, conscientious, Lieutenant-Governor. But we do believe that the time has come for the nomination of a man of more years and wider experience and consequently greater achievement than Mr. Brackett. We believe that Mr. Crapo is that man, with his twelve years of Congressional experience, and the numerous mercantile positions which he has held and still holds and fills to the great satisfaction of a varied constituency. We commend the sketch of his life and public services, which we publish today, to the attentive perusal of our readers. It will be remembered that he was a candidate for the nomination in 1882. Whatever might have been the result had he then been nominated it is idle to conjecture; but we are unprejudiced and we have no doubts that he can be elected this year.

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## Are Your Hens Healthy?

Owing to the extreme heat, moisture, and other causes, there has been much dullness and disease among poultry the past summer, and especially among chickens and young pullets expected to lay this fall and winter. For this reason, it would be a great mistake to kill off all the old hens when the moulting season is at hand and the hens have stopped laying, got fat, and seem to be eating their heads off, because it is a fact that a year-old hen, if properly cared for and helped at the moulting season to get her new coat, will lay more than all the young pullets that she can produce. The only thing to keep them healthy is to use the needed material to strengthen and invigorate sick chickens or moulting hens and get them to laying earlier than anything else on earth. Mrs. Edwin Brown, East Greenfield, N. Y., says: "I could not do without Sheridan's Condition Powder when hens are moulting. It is the only thing to keep them healthy. I use it for gapes and diarrhoea; for when chickens are small they often droop and die. To a pint of chicken milk I add a spoonful of the powder, mix well, and let the chicks eat all they will once a day; it does seem to be just what they need, they soon become so vigorous. People laughed at me when I began to use Sheridan's Condition Powder, but I had no idea I should win a premium. They laugh best who laugh last. I got more eggs than any of my neighbors, and some of them had over 100 hens. We hatched 66 chickens from 77 eggs, obtained while the birds were moulting. I have seen no other hen that has laid so many eggs hatching." I. S. Johnson & Co., 22 Canton House Street, Boston, Mass., will send postpaid, two 25-cent packs of Powder and their Poultry Raising Guide for 40 cents. The book alone costs 25 cents. For \$1.00, five packs of Powder and book; for \$1.25, a large 2-4 pound can (regular price) and book. Send stamps or cash. Interesting testimonials sent free; also, for 5 cents, a sample copy of the best poultry paper published.

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## Tweedle-dum and Tweedle-dee.

"Beware of free-trade," says the protectionist. "Look at England; see her paupers increasing, her workmen starving, her manufacturers suffering, her commerce threatened."

Let us have subsidies," says the protectionist. "Look at England, the mistress of the seas, the manufacturer of continents and nations."

## Fair Exchange, no Robbery.

Two men once established themselves on opposite banks of a broad river. By-and-by both men erected two large mills, one each for the manufacture of woolen goods and one each for the manufacture of metallic goods. In studying their estimates for machinery, John found that he could equip his mill with the best machinery by keeping 100 men at work 100 days, but to make the machinery for the metal working mill he must keep 100 men working 150 days; total, 100 men at work 250 days. On the other hand Sam found out that his 100 men could not make the machines for his woolen mill in less than 150 days, whereas they could easily make the machinery for the other mill in 100 days. John thereupon proposed that with his 100 men he should make two sets of woolen machinery, which would take 200 days; and that Sam's men should make two sets of metal-working machinery which also would take 200 days. Then John would exchange his extra set of wool-making machines for Sam's extra set of metal-working machines. The exchange would take the 200 men 1 day's work—John would have his mill equipped and have 100 men ready to work 49 days extra, and Sam's gain would be the same. Total gain to the two villages, 49 days' work of 200 men. "But Sam said, 'What river is this?'"—and when the people said, "The St. Lawrence," Sam said the exchange was impossible. So Sam's workmen worked 250 for what they might have got in 200 days; and John made his exchange with some one else further up the river, and John's workmen had 49 days extra time in which they made other useful things. Sam says if the river had been called "Ohio" he would have been glad to make the exchange. Why?

## A Plain Talk About Wages.

## 1. WHAT WAGES ARE.

A great deal of the misunderstanding on the subject of wages arises from the notion that wages are money. Wages are not money; wages are a house, fuel, clothing, food, travels, books, tools. Gold and silver are of no value until they are exchanged for these real wages. High wages are a comfortable home, warmth in winter, abundant clothing, bountiful and wholesome food, opportunity for travel, books and time to read them, the very best tools of trade. Low wages are an unhealthy tenement, a bushel of cinders, ragged garments, hunger, no chance for change of air or companions, no reading, but the latest mudger, poor tools or borrowed ones. One dollar a day may be high wages; ten dollars a day may be low wages. If we could all stop thinking of wages as pounds, shillings and pence, or as dollars, cents and mills; and begin to think of wages as life, that is food, raiment, shelter, and progress, a good deal of the difficulty in the problem would be overcome at once.

## 2. HOW WAGES ARE PRODUCED.

How are houses made? By work. How are clothing and fuel produced? By work. How can the earth be made to yield food? By work. Railroads, and books, and too, whence come they? From work. What makes wages? Evidently work makes wages. Labor of hand and head brings forth dwellings and garments and railroads and bread. Wages then come from labor, labor of hand and head. But not all work produces; and work which does not produce cannot make wages. If John throws stones from one side of the fence to the other side today, and tomorrow throws them back, and next throws them over once more, and so continues, he produces nothing, he makes no wages, neither houses, nor food, nor clothing, nor anything. Perhaps he gets some of these things, but he earns nothing. Few men perhaps pursue labor quite so fruitlessly as John's, but many men do work that produces very little, directly or indirectly.

## 3. HOW WAGES ARE RAISED.

If wages are houses; then more houses mean more wages. If wages are food and fuel and clothing; then more food and fuel and clothing must mean more wages. Now, to have more houses and clothing and food and fuel we must make more, that is we must work more. But to work more doesn't mean to work longer, but to work more intelligently. Make more wages and you will have more wages. Yes, some one replies, if more good things are produced there will be more of them in the world, more of them in the nation, but the real workman doesn't get any more. Let us see. To make sure that this troublesome tariff question won't confuse us we will consider wages in England and America. In 1846 England practically adopted free-trade; between 1846 and 1889 wages in England doubled. What does that mean? Simply that in 1889 English workmen, the pauper laborers, got twice as good homes, twice as good clothing, twice as much and better food, twice the opportunity to grow and to enjoy, that they did in 1846. These are facts not theories. On this side the Atlantic we had in 1846 a low protective tariff to which we have made since most tremendous additions; between 1846 and 1889 wages in America doubled. More food, better clothing, pleasanter homes, greater leisure, have come to American laborers as to English laborers. In both cases the same simple, effective, reason—increased production! Wheat is wages, cotton is wages, cattle are wages, woollens are wages, hardware is wages, books are wages, roads and bridges, and cars, and boats, are wages, fuel is wages; and England and America today can produce by every man's toil twice as much

(perhaps more) of wheat, and cotton, and cattle, and woollens, and hardware, and books, and all good things. We know that the things have been made, and we see that the workmen have them, as they never before have had them.

## 4. HOW WAGES ARE LOWERED.

Wages must fall when fewer things are produced. If we raise but half as much wheat this year as last we shall have but half as much, and what we have will make the wage rate. Include everything, wheat, corn, potatoes, manufacturers, all things—make this year but half as much as we did last. Who suffers? We, who have only half as much as we had last year, we suffer. If strikes and lockouts and riots and fires and floods decrease the nation's store of food and fuel and clothing; the nation will have less food and fuel and clothing; and John the hodcarrier will have less as well as John the banker. If men who work ten hours a day can produce more than men who work eight hours a day an eight hour law will be a law to decrease wages. If Germany chooses to uniform, feed, and house 500,000 of her best workmen, and keep them idle, wages must stay down. China will have no sewing machines nor other foreign devices. She forbids her people to produce more, and so she keeps wages low. Genius tunnels the Alps and increases production; French folly blocks one end of the tunnel and Italian idiocy the other, till we wonder what the tunnel is for. Enterprise and invention brings the products of the world to our ports; the ports are blockaded by a stupid tariff. Energy makes an iron road by which wealth may move from Mexico to us; John the hodcarrier makes the road a toll-path. The little story above of John and Sam is no nursery fable but a serious condition. The law that forbids us to exchange our unexcelled machinery for the working of wood and metals in return for the superior woolen machinery of England, actually compels us to labor 10 hours for what we can do in 8 hours. What right has Congress to rob the nation of 2 hours' toil? Distribution, exchange, is the final step without which production is wasted. Protection claims to increase production and begins by decreasing distribution. It is as if a physician should attempt to stimulate digestion and assimilation by stopping the circulation. To say that protection makes high wages is like saying that the less you make the more you will have. But protection is worse than silly, it is insulting. How?

## EXCAVATION OF DELPHI.

AN APPEAL FOR FUNDS FOR THIS IMPORTANT WORK.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC.

The readers of the circular, issued by the Archaeological Institute, are asked to spread as widely as possible the information which it contains. It is not easy to exaggerate the impetus which classical scholarship would gain from an excavation of the world famed site of Delphi. Art, architecture, history and literature would receive fresh light from a revelation of the treasures, which have been, for so many centuries, hidden. It is to be hoped that American patriotism may not be offended by a neglect to embrace this opportunity which is offered to us, and that we may not fall behind Germany and France, countries which have already conducted excavations of great importance.

The "American School of Classical Study at Athens" is an organization fitted to the supervision of this work of excavation. It is under the general direction of Dr. Charles Waldstein, the most eminent of American archaeologists, and under the special superintendence of some one of the professors of Greek of the contributing universities and colleges. Students receive, gratuitously, personal direction in their archaeological research and study, and not merely students in the school but all American travellers receive the courteous assistance of the director and enjoy the advantage of the library.

I am personally so deeply indebted to the American school for the pleasure and profit of my weeks in Greece, that I make only a proper acknowledgement in testifying to the practical efficiency and to the scholarly value of its work.

MARY WHITON CALKINS.

## THE CIRCULAR

states that the Greek Government has offered to the Archaeological Institute of America, the concession of the privilege to excavate the site of Delphi, provided the sum required for the expropriation of the village of Kastri, now standing on the site, should be obtained before the first of December next.

The Institute has adopted resolutions, appealing to the public for the \$25,000 required, and promising to take charge of the work, for five years, under the management of the American school at Athens, and pledging the income of the Institute, after the necessary expenses have been met, for five years.

The circular says: The investigation of the remains at Delphi is the most interesting and important work now remaining to be accomplished in the field of classical archaeology. The part which Delphi played in the history of Greece is too well known to need recounting. The imagination of every man who recognizes what modern civilization owes to ancient Greece is stirred by the name of Delphi as by no other name except that of Athens. The centre of Greek religion for centuries, the site of its most famous oracle, the meeting-place of its greatest gods, the locality adorned by many of the noblest works of the incomparable genius of the Greeks, and crowded with poetic as well as with historic associations throughout the whole period of the glory of Greece,—Delphi will be forever one of the most sacred seats of the life of the human race. To recover what may now be recovered of the remains of its ancient greatness, to ascertain all that may now be ascertained concerning the character of its famous buildings, to collect the fragments of the works of art which lie buried in the soil, to gather the inscriptions with which its walls were covered, to gain all possible knowledge concerning it,—is a task of the highest honor to those who may accomplish it, and one which Americans may well be proud and glad to undertake. The precise sum required to secure the expropriation of the ground, and to compensate the inhabitants of Kastri, whose houses now occupy the site of Delphi, cannot be stated. It is probable that about \$80,000 will be needed, and that this sum must be secured before the Greek Government will grant the concession. The amount has been determined approximately by the surveys and estimates of two commissions of French and Greek engineers. It is for this sum, therefore, that we ask the public.

The circular is signed by Prof. Chas. Eliot Norton, President, Henry Dressler,

Vice President, Wm. W. Goodwin, Martin Brimmer, and other members of the council of the Institute, by Thomas D. Seymour, chairman of the managing committee of the American School at Athens, and others, who will gladly furnish further information.

## History Repeating Itself.

"Listen to me, Maud!"  
The voice of the young man trembled with the intensity of his passion.

"From my home in the shadow of Bunker Hill monument I have come to plead with you, Maud. I have taken a solemn vow that I will neither eat, drink, nor sleep, until I have secured a momentous question of my whole life settled once for all."

The glorious dark eyes of the proud Monumental City girl sank beneath his burning gaze. Her cheek glowed with an unwonted flush, and she tapped the carpet irresolutely with her foot. She was not to be won without a struggle, but her heart pleaded for the youth who stood before her.

"Mr. Backsorell," she said, "are there not differences of temperament, irreconcilable prejudices relating to locality, pride of ancestry, civic loyalty, and—"

"All these, Maud," he protested vehemently, "are mere straws that may float on the surface, but are powerless to stay the progress of the irresistible passion that sweeps me on and that will bear you, too, on its bosom, my proud beauty, in spite of the influences that—"

"Have a care, Mr. Backsorell!" exclaimed the imperious maiden, her eyes flashing. "The old Boston ideas of coercion are—"

"Are distasteful to the patrician intolerance and majestic selfhood of Baltimore's blue-blooded nobility. I know it, Maud. But love sweeps away all barriers, levels all ranks, obliterates all local landmarks, and changes the face of nature itself."

The maiden shook her head and sighed tremulously.  
"Would it change deep-rooted and in-bred convictions and preferences, Mr. Backsorell. As—as to habits of daily living, involving such questions as literature, recreation, diet—"

"Diet!" he broke in. "It would! it would! With the communion of soul with soul there would come to you time a calm tolerance of that which is leguminous and brain-producing. With the longings of my heart satisfied, I could raise my hand and swear by every impulse of my being, every fibre of my frame, that my physical nature needed terrapin! Oh, Maud!" he exclaimed rapturously, as he folded the radiant Southern beauty in his arms and drew her to his bosom, "in the arena of love have not Boston endurance and habits of training triumphed over Baltimore even—as—the other day, you know, down in Mississippi—in short, is not history repeating itself?"

"It is, Harold," she murmured, with her head on the young man's shoulder. "I throw up the sponge."—[Chicago Tribune.]

## The Real Issue.

Templeton, the Boston correspondent of the Hartford Courant, expects to see the republican party of Massachusetts right itself this year, and the grounds of his belief follow:—

The real issue between the friends of the two candidates as it now appears is narrowed down to a contest for the able man, spontaneously supported by the people on the one side, and a concerted effort on the part of a set of politicians on the other to put a man into the governorship. I have always told you that I thought Mr. Crapo would win in it. I think so still. My first opinion was based more upon the operation of the temperance question, which has now gone a good deal out of sight, though it is liable to be presented later with effect. It may be said against my present view, which assumes the better feeling among the republicans as sure to triumph, that it was ignominiously beaten in the nomination of Gov. Ames three years ago. The difference between that period and the present is that this feeling then did not assert itself. It seems to be very much alive now, and it is having great weight among the politicians, as well as the people of the state. A significant feature of the contest is the very few public men between whom the contest is on Mr. Brackett's side. Aside from one or two men who good-naturedly give him a nominal adherence on account of personal association, there is not one man who has more than a local reputation in our position among those who favor his nomination. Several of our members of Congress, and others who might naturally be expected to take his side, do not venture to do so, remaining neutral in the contest.

## The Religion of Japan.

It was with special interest that the Unitarian parish of Watertown welcomed Sunday the Rev. A. M. Knapp, their former pastor, who recently returned from Japan, whither he had been sent to represent the American Unitarian Association. He preached from the text: "God hath made of one blood all the nations of the earth." He said that 300 years ago, the Christian religion obtained a brief foothold in Japan, and a company of Japanese ambassadors to Rome acknowledged the Pope as the vicar of Jesus Christ. Fifty years later Christianity received its death-blow there on account of jealousy of the state against an uprising influence, and until thirty years ago the ports of Japan were sealed against foreigners. Since then the change in thought and in national progress has been marvellous. The higher classes have religious thought practically identical with the Unitarian faith, but owing to long isolation and childlike simplicity the errors of childhood are interwoven with it, and the Unitarian Association has singled this out as a special field. It believed it would be a fatal mistake not to continue the work of disseminating the larger religious faith in Japan, although it may be years before the masses are reached. He spoke briefly to the children of the Sunday school, describing pleasantly the dress, manners and customs of the Japanese.

He will start with his wife, and accompanied by friends, for Japan Sept. 18, to be absent from this country four years.

Waiting at the station, which is also the post-office—"Haven't you anything else to read but this old newspaper?" "Sorry, sir. Perhaps you might be interested to look over these postal-cards that came in to-day."—[Fliegende Blaetter.]

## Sensible Action.

(Boston Herald.)

The Republicans of Newtonville did a wise as well as a just thing, in asking that the Democratic postmaster of that locality be retained. This because that Democratic postmaster is efficient in the office. It is simply absurd for men to put themselves to inconvenience and injure their own interests for the sake of having a man of one stripe of politics rather than another to receive and deliver their letters. Party resentment may be satisfied by thus punishing a postmaster, and party sympathies may be gratified by rewarding a party associate with his place; but party interests are much more likely to be injured than aided by such an act. There are the disappointed rivals who are likely to be offended, and there is the public in which there are plenty of men to resent the change of a satisfactory postmaster for one who, at the best, is an experiment.

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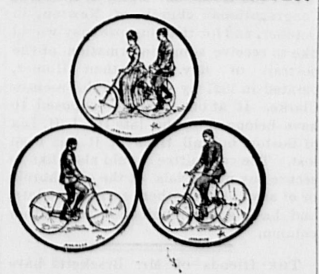


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## ATTEND THE CAUCUSES.

The Republican caucuses on Saturday evening of this week are of more than usual importance, as the stand taken by Newton will have a considerable effect upon the campaign for the governorship. We believe that the majority of Republicans in Newton would prefer to see Mr. Crapo governor, rather than Mr. Brackett, but unfortunately they are Republicans who seldom go near a caucus, and think they have discharged their whole duty if they vote on election day. For this reason they generally have no influence in nominating the men for whom they have to vote, and that matter is attended to by a small number of voters who are perfectly willing to take all the trouble that may be involved.

It is time for a reform in this direction, and it is hoped that tomorrow evening there will be a full attendance at the various ward caucuses. Let the stay at home come out for once and make their influence felt.

The question as to the candidate for governor is a rather serious one this fall, and as this is an off year, and the Democrats have an unusually popular and able candidate, who will be difficult to defeat, unless the Republicans put up their strongest man. In the opinion of the older and wiser leaders of the party, Mr. Crapo is that man, and for that reason he should be nominated.

The claims made for Mr. Brackett, that he is in the direct line of succession, has never been recognized in Massachusetts, and if followed it would give each administration a direct mortgage upon its successor. If Mr. Brackett should be nominated and elected, then Mr. Johnson, or whoever is chosen lieutenant-governor, would make the same claim when another change comes round, and so on ad infinitum, which would bind the state to a policy so fruitful of mischief, that a Democratic interregnum might be necessary to break up what some have called the state house ring. Mr. Brackett has no more claim on the governorship than Vice-President Morton will have on the presidency.

The situation is a very simple one. It is votes that will be needed this fall. Mr. Brackett would receive the regular Republican vote, probably, which would be cast for any Republican who was nominated, whatever his record or ability. Mr. Crapo would not only receive this vote, but also that of the men who have got into the unfortunate habit of voting for the best man, irrespective of party. If success is desired, it is clearly the part of wisdom to choose the candidate who would poll the largest vote, and whose nomination would bring the most strength to the party. It is such men as Mr. Crapo who are needed at the front, in an off year when party ties sit very lightly on the average Republican, and when also the Australian ballot bill will come in to complicate matters. The state and country need more men who will look upon "public office as a public trust" as Mr. Crapo said in a state convention several years ago.

Let us have a full attendance at the caucuses, and an expression of the real sentiment of Newton Republicans.

## THE NEWTONVILLE CAUCUS.

The Republicans of Newtonville have decided to put their postoffice on a business basis, and when they find a satisfactory postmaster, they evidently do not believe in making a change. This is the policy every good business man pursues and we hope the day will come when it will prevail in all the postoffices of the country. The Newtonville postoffice, for instance, was never in such a satisfactory condition as it is under Mr. Turner. He has succeeded in getting an office fitted up that is a credit to the city; he has added more conveniences than were ever thought of under any former postmaster, and has done this by persistency and hard work. The people have found him a model of courtesy, and they do not like to make a change simply because he is a Democrat. The caucus was more largely attended than caucuses usually are, every Republican had a chance to express his choice by means of a ballot, and the vote was practically unanimous for the retention of Mr. Turner.

Some criticism has been made because it is said that there was no opportunity

for a debate, but in this the caucus was wise. Every attendant had his mind made up, there were no new facts to be developed and a debate could not have changed a single vote. Besides, among old neighbors and friends, if the debate had got at all warm, as political debates are apt to do, things might have been said that would have been regretted by the speakers. The statement made in the Boston Daily Journal that a great many left the hall, because all debate had been shut off, was so far out of the way that by actual count only seven persons left the hall, and seven votes would not have had much effect, as Mr. Turner had 85. The caucus seems to have been fairly conducted, all had an equal chance, the opponents of Mr. Turner had nothing to prevent their coming out and voting, and as it was decided to leave the decision to a caucus, the vote of the caucus ought to be binding.

Newtonville has set a worthy example for other places to follow, in deciding to take the postoffice out of politics, and making it a business institution. Mr. Turner has proved his fitness for the position, and it is good business as well as good common sense and good politics to retain him. Mr. Colton is a gentleman whom all respect, and nothing can be said against him as a candidate if the office was vacant, but Mr. Turner has the experience, he has proved his fitness, and there is no valid reason for his removal. When a postmaster gives good satisfaction, he ought to be retained, and the demoralization of the railway postal service the past summer, shows the foolishness of mixing up politics and business. Every weekly or daily paper of large circulation has been troubled the past summer by the failure of papers to reach out of town subscribers, and this is due solely to the removal of competent postal clerks and the substitution of inexperienced hands, all on account of politics. It is to be hoped that civil service reform will prove to be something more than a name, and the people have a right to demand this, as far as the postal service is concerned.

## DISCIPLINE IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

One of the committees of the School Board presented a report at the last meeting upon a subject that is of very great importance. Now that public sentiment seems to be against the use of the rod as an aid to discipline, the question arises, what is there our teachers can do to subdue refractory pupils and to compel obedience to wholesome rules?

Detention after school hours, loss of standing in the class, and temporary suspension from the privileges of the school, are three means of discipline now recognized. These are, however, entirely too weak to meet some cases. The ordinary pupil gives but little trouble, but there are probably from two to five out of every fifty pupils who are determined to make things uncomfortable for everyone else. The present discipline is too feeble to restrain them. They care nothing for a brief period of detention, nor for loss of class standing, nor for being suspended for a few days or a week. In fact suspension gives them better opportunity to roam about the streets. It becomes then a very serious problem to know how to deal with such pupils. The remedy suggested by the report referred to is to drop them out of the public schools altogether. It is claimed that our schools are not intended for such pupils, and that our teachers are not employed as police officers or as guardians of pupils who can only be restrained when the whole attention of the teacher is given to them.

It is usually thought that our schools must receive all young people who apply, but they are really intended only for such as will obey the necessary and wholesome rules which have been adopted. There is no genuine kindness in bearing with a persistently disobedient pupil. His influence over others is too injurious to permit his retention. His refusal to obey shows that the public school is not the place for him.

This subject is one in which every parent is interested, for if our schools are to be safe places for children in general, something must be done to create greater willingness on their part to come under needful subjection. It will make a very important change in this whole matter of school discipline if it becomes an accepted principle, understood by parents and children, that a few disorderly pupils in a class shall no longer absorb the time and strength of a teacher. It has sometimes been suggested that every large district ought to have one teacher whose class should be composed entirely of these irregular and troublesome children who cannot get along well in the ordinary classes. There would be no attempt at grading such a class, for it would be composed of pupils of varying ages and capacities. This expedient of a special teacher for crooked cases might check some who otherwise must find their way to the Reform School or House of Correction.

Whatever may be the best course for them or any like them, it is very clear that our regular teachers have as much as they can do now to instruct the average members of their classes. They have no time or strength to give to those who are determined to be troublesome and neglectful.

HON. ALDEN SPEARE appeared before the Senate committee on our relations with Canada, and continued the excellent work he began before the interstate commerce committee. He stood up boldly for the interests of Boston and New England, and gave the committee many important facts to consider. In his testimony on Wednesday he backed up his arguments with figures which there was no disputing. He said that he believed reciprocity to be for the mutual interest of the United States and Canada, and that Canadian coal, iron ore and pig iron

should be put on the free list, as it would develop the product of those articles there and enable us to get the articles which we consume at a less price. He is no doubt correct in this, and as all New England men should do, he looks out for the interests of New England, without regard to any theories. If people choose to say it is inconsistent for a protectionist, such as Mr. Speare, to hold such views, it is only necessary to reply that he is a New England business man first of all, and does not wish to see the interests of his section injured or destroyed. Anything that will benefit those interests should be favored by any intelligent business man, whether he is a protectionist or a free trader.

THE Boston Traveller has been interviewing prominent citizens of Brookline, and does not find any general sentiment in favor of the project to set Brookline off into a new county, although many favor its annexation to Suffolk county at some time in the future. In regard to Geo. M. Towle's candidacy for the senatorship, one of the shrewdest gentlemen of Brookline said that his nomination would be an unwise action on the part of the Republicans, which would possibly result in a defeat at the polls. He did not think that Towle commanded more than a small proportion of the party favor, and instanced his past unsuccessful attempts to get the nomination as representative, councillor or senator. Somehow Mr. Towle, although very active in politics, has never been a very successful seeker after office, although his ambition generally goes up one peg higher at each defeat. He will probably try to capture the nomination for congress next year, if defeated for senator, and then we suppose he will try for the governorship.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN announces that he will accept a nomination to Congress, and if money entitles a man to be chosen, why should not muscle. There is this to be said in his favor, that Senator Blackburn would not dare to pull his ear, and he should be spared such mortifying scenes as the Chandler episode. Besides, John L. would make a straight party man, which some of the political organs have been claiming as the highest merit a candidate can have. If we can not have any Webster or Adams to represent us, we can console ourselves with the reflection that Massachusetts could still lead the procession by sending Sullivan, "the champion of the world." With such a representative, no wild westerner would dare to call us "the effete east," and when one looks over the list of Congressmen, John L.'s ambition does not seem so very ridiculous. He could not be any worse than Riddleberger, for instance.

THE Nationalist Club has issued a rather plain spoken appeal to the citizens of Massachusetts, in which the subservience of recent legislators, and especially the last one, to the great moneyed corporations, is handled without gloves, so to speak, and urging citizens to attend the primaries, and see to it that only the best men are selected, from whom solemn pledges must be exacted to correct present abuses, and to curtail the power of the plutocracy. The address closes with the question, "What danger is greater than that which now faces us,—a government of money, by money and for money?"

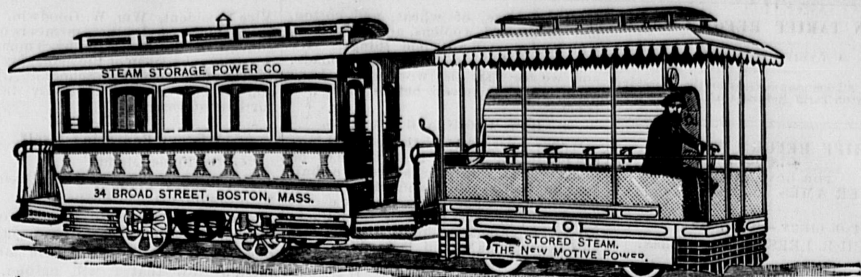
THE Boston Journal well says that Mr. Crapo as governor would give a dignity and honor to the office which would recall the best days of the past. He has qualities of commanding excellence which have been amply tested in other fields of public service, and to marked ability and knowledge of public affairs he adds a blamelessness of personal character and an absence of entangling relations with the less reputable political elements and forces which would ensure a maintenance of the highest standards. He can surely be nominated if those who desire his nomination bestir themselves to a reasonable activity, and if nominated he can certainly be elected.

THE Congregational church of Newton Centre are planning to hold a celebration of the 25th anniversary of the First Congregational church of Newton, in October, and for that purpose they would like to receive some information of the portrait of Rev. Jonathan Freeman, painted in 1827 by Miss Sarah Freeman Clarke. It at one time is supposed to have belonged to the late Dr. J. H. Dix of Boston, but all trace of it has been lost. The committee would also like to secure any memorials of the old church, or of any of the other early ministers, and have a communication in another column.

THE friends of Mr. Brackett have managed very shrewdly, and their apparent lead at present is due to the fact that in all the sure Brackett towns the caucuses were called early for effect on the campaign. The Brackett leaders are certainly shrewd politicians, who have a knack at managing caucuses, gained from experience. The friends of Mr. Crapo will have to be wide awake, or the strong popular sentiment in his favor will not be properly represented at the State convention.

The death of Congressman Cox removes one of the prominent political leaders of the country, a man who while a strong partisan, yet endeavored to serve his country honestly. He was best known as a humorist, but he had more ability and more statesmanlike qualities than he received credit for. Men laughed at his wit and overlooked the sound arguments to be found in his speeches.

THE Brookline Chronicle, Congressman Candler's organ, recommends the repeal of the tobacco tax as a short and



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PRESIDENT Harrison has asked for and received Pension Commissioner Tanner's resignation, and is said to now admit that he made a mistake in appointing him. Mr. Tanner has proved a serious annoyance to the administration, partly from his indiscreet utterances, and partly from the loose and unbusiness like methods he has introduced into the pension office. His mistake was in interpreting the ante-election promises of the politicians and political platforms too literally.

easy way of getting rid of the surplus, and adds that President Harrison's intention to recommend it will make Virginia Republican. The wisdom of repealing a tax on a luxury is doubtful, as are most short and easy methods in statesmanship, but perhaps the surplus will all be taken care of before Congress assembles.

The state metropolitan drainage commission may now begin its work, the council having confirmed ex-Congressman Robert T. Davis of Fall River as the third member. It is not an ideal commission, but we will have to make the best of it.

SPEAKER BARRETT has at last come out for Brackett, but it is plainly hinted that he was forced to show his hand in order to secure his renomination for representative from Melrose. It is also said that he will not secure the renomination without strong opposition.

THE Newton Horticultural Society have decided not to hold an exhibition this fall, as it is thought that there may be a little more variety, if the exhibitions are only held once in two or three years.

The vacancy in the office of councilman from Ward 7 will probably not be filled until the state election. The interests of the ward will certainly be well taken care of in the meantime.

THE county commissioners will give a hearing on Saturday at 10 o'clock in the morning at the Court House in East Cambridge on the question of establishing a county trunk school.

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TYLER-SULLIVAN—At Newtonville, Sept. 4, by Rev. Julian C. Jaynes, Wm. Perkins Tyler and Alice Maria Sullivan, both of Newtonville.

## DIED.

FLETCHER—At Newton, Sept. 7, Samuel W. Fletcher, aged 69 years, 7 months, 14 days.

HAYES—At Newton, Sept. 9, Cornelius J. Hayes, aged 22 years, 3 months.

PECK—At West Newton, Sept. 10, Annie Warren Peck, aged 3 months, 4 days.

PAUL—At Newton Centre, Sept. 8, Charles Crehore Paul, aged 23 years, 7 months.

GIPSON—At Newton Centre, Sept. 11, Albert H. Gipson, aged 9 years, 1 month, 18 days.

## NOTICE!

MONEY deposited in the West Newton Savings Bank on or before Oct. 5, will draw interest for the next quarter.

49-41 JAMES H. NICKELSON, Treas.

## DR. FIELD

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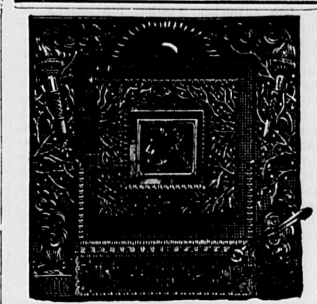
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## Newton Horticultural Society.

NO EXHIBITION THIS AUTUMN. At the last meeting of the society it was voted not to hold any more exhibitions during the year 1889, and the secretary was directed to notify the public of this action of the society.

L. H. FARLOW, Sec'y.

## NOTICE!

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West Newton, July 23, 1889.

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## NEWTONVILLE.

—Ex-Mayor Kimball has been at Sorrento this week.

—Miss Jennie Clark is visiting her cousin, Mr. C. E. Clark, Eddy street.

—Mrs. C. E. Atherton is spending a few weeks with her sister in Detroit.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Whiting are receiving congratulations. It is a boy.

—Mrs. E. Bradshaw has been confined to the house by illness the past week.

—Postmaster Turner is enjoying a two weeks' vacation at St. Johnsbury, Vt.

—Be sure and attend your Republican ward caucus tomorrow, Saturday, night.

—Dalhousie Lodge, F. & A. M., will have its installation of officers next Wednesday evening.

—Miss N. L. Ingram, who has been visiting at Mr. D. C. Heath's, has returned to Stanford, Conn.

—Mrs. Geo. Johnson has returned from Lakefield, Ontario, where she has been spending the summer.

—Dr. Hopkins and wife have returned to their home on Newtonville avenue, after a delightful summer trip.

—The new chairs for the Methodist church vestry are expected to be in position for use next Sunday.

—Mr. A. A. Savage and five friends from Charlestown start next Monday on their annual fishing trip in Maine.

—Mr. E. Bradshaw was chosen secretary of company H, at the reunion of the 39th regiment held at Medford on Wednesday.

—Mr. C. J. Maynard, the taxidermist, contemplates starting very soon for South America, where he will spend the winter.

—The following from Newtonville are registered at the New Victoria Hotel, St. John, N. B.: L. H. Cranfield, Mrs. R. Cranfield and Henry Wandell.

—Mr. F. S. Amidon is home from his summer at Cottage City, where he had a very pleasant and successful season, as the letter in last week's paper proved.

—Rev. R. A. White contemplates giving a series of illustrated lectures very soon, the subject including Ireland, Caves, the Rhine, and Phases of Life in Switzerland.

—About twenty-six of the "country week children" were received by members of the Universalist church. It is needless to say that the children heartily enjoyed their outing.

—Newton royal arch chapter observed its 10th anniversary very appropriately Monday evening, with the installation of officers, music by the Temple quartet and a collation.

—Several lady correspondents wish us to state that if the ladies of the ward had met in caucus over the postmaster, Mr. Turner would have received the vote of every lady in the ward.

—The Y. P. S. C. E. will hold the first meeting of the season at the Universalist church, next Sunday evening at half past six. It is to be followed by an informal service of song at 7:30.

—Wm. T. Vose and family return this week from their summer among the White Mountains. Miss Nellie A. Vose has been spending a couple of weeks at Standish since her return from Lisbon, N. H.

—Ex-Governor Claflin appeared before the senate committee on Thursday, and spoke in favor of reciprocity, especially as far as the shoe and leather business is concerned, which he thought would be greatly benefited by a free interchange of goods with Canada.

—C. N. Allen & Co. have opened a store in the Tremont building, where they have a full line of Magee furnaces, parlor stoves and ranges. They are also prepared to do tin roofing, corrugated conductors, etc. All orders will receive prompt attention. See advertisement.

—The Adams school shows but little change from last year's attendance. The teachers without exception are the same, only "one year older," as Mr. Spence has remarked. One year more of experience and greater ability thereby to instruct those who come under their charge.

—Rev. Pleasant Hunter, Jr., has been busy this week packing up his furniture for removal to his new home in Newark, N. J., and it is to be loaded on Wednesday. He will remain with the church here the present month, and will preach his farewell sermon the last Sunday in the month.

—The opening of the Claflin school has been delayed by the preparation for the new schoolhouse and the building, which has been moved back and faced upon Washington Park, is not yet ready for its occupants. It will take nearly two weeks yet to prepare for the opening, the work is being pushed as rapidly as possible.

—At the high school there have been some changes. The incoming class of 180 members is considerably larger than usual, swelling the fourth class to the largest number it has ever had. But to counterbalance this, the reduction of the class will be smaller than usual. Of the teachers Miss Mabel Davis is still in Europe and Miss Chisholm is substituting until her return.

—The Central Congregational Society met last Friday evening and voted to accept the resignation of Rev. Mr. Hunter. A committee was appointed to act with the pastor in calling a council to dissolve the relations between church and pastor. The church passed a similar vote some time before and adopted a series of resolutions referring in very complimentary terms to their pastor, and expressing the sorrow of all that he is to leave.

—Officer Clay had quite an exciting time with a drunken man, who he went to arrest for abusing his horse, last Saturday night. Officer Clay got into the buggy to take the man to West Newton, but the latter seized the reins and whipped the horse, causing it to run round in a circle until both men were thrown out and the buggy was smashed. Officer Clay hung on to his man, however, and took him to the lockup.

—Patrick Doyle, milkman, and Wm. Hill both had a very narrow escape from the 3-25 p. m. inward train at the Walnut street crossing, Wednesday. The Boston & Albany road is very negligent in not having a flagman there, as this is one of the most frequented crossings in Newton, and many accidents have happened through lack of proper precaution on the part of the railroad company. One gatetender alone is not sufficient.

—Mr. Wm. P. Tyler, president of the Tyler Steel Tube Mill at South Boston, was married last Wednesday evening to Miss Alice M. Sullivan, of Newtonville, at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Chas. E. Davis. The ceremony was very quiet and informal, and was performed by the Rev. Julian C. Jaynes of the Unitarian church of West Newton, in the presence of a small number of friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Tyler left for the evening express train for New York, and took the steamship Columbia, of the Hamburg line, Thursday for Europe, and will be absent about two months.

—Mr. Abbott Bassett, secretary of the L. A. W., is sending out a very neat little book on "Improvement of Highways," which is interested in road making should have. It contains four articles: "Our Country Roads," by one of the most experienced makers in the country; "Treatise on the Science of Road Making," by Clemens Herschel. (Prize essay for which the State of Massachusetts awarded a prize of \$400.) "Nature and uses of Asphalt," by Capt. F. V. Greene, New York. "Compressed Brick, Road Asphalt Blocks," by Walter S. Wilkinson, Baltimore. "A Specimen Road Bill," for the consideration of Legislators.

The book may be had of the Secretary of the L. A. W. by enclosing a two cent stamp.

—Herbert R. Cunningham, a clerk for Soley, Gay & Dorr, of Boston, and arrested for embezzling \$5,000 from the firm, pleaded guilty in court this week, Judge Slocum appearing for him. Mr. Soley of the firm testified as to the methods used by the prisoner in taking the money, and as to the condition of the firm's books. The government called no other witnesses, and the defense called to testify to the previous good character of the prisoner, Rev. Rufus A. White, Charles E. Davis, H. B. Pinkham, John F. Payne and C. H. Tainter, all of Newtonville. Mr. Slocum asked that the young man be given a chance to reform and be taken on probation. Judge Staples said that he thought the law was intended to uphold principle and not sentiment. He also spoke of the tendency to deal strictly with those who, having no advantage of a home, have gone astray, and then exercise great clemency in cases of the more favored ones. His honor then sentenced the defendant to the reformatory at Concord for an indefinite term.

—Tainter's Circulating Library has become quite a Newtonville institution, as the new books are to be found there, and his patrons come from all over the city. During the past week he has added the following: "Leisure Hour," Series—Far Away and Long Ago, by Mrs. F. A. Kemble, Miss Shatto by W. E. Norris, A Sage of Sixteen by L. B. Walford, A Crooked Athlete by Mrs. Alexander, Merle's Crusade by Rose N. Carey, Saint Ilario by F. Marion Crawford, Feet of Clay by Amelia E. Barr, Two Daughters of One Race by W. Heinemann, Far in the Forest by S. Weir Mitchell, John Cleland's Peter Bayle, The People I've Smiled With by Marshall P. Wilder, A Girl Graduate by Celia Parker Woolley, Inside of Our Gate author of The Colonel's Opera Cloak, Taken Alive by E. P. Roe, Between the Lines by Capt. Chas. King, Bertha Laycourt by Edgar C. Blum, A Woodland Wooing by Eleanor Putnam, Mistress Beatrice Cope by M. E. LeClere, Under Arms by Rolf Boldrewood, Adrian Lytle by Rita.

## The Postmastership Caucus.

Newtonville gained a state and almost a national reputation by its caucus last Saturday evening, as the papers all over the country have been commenting upon the caucus and its results. The meeting was called to order shortly after 8 o'clock, in Tremont Hall, and it was one of the largest caucuses ever held in the ward. Judge Slocum presided and John F. Payne was chosen secretary. A motion to proceed at once to ballot was made by Mr. Mendell and carried without opposition. His reason, as he stated after the meeting, was that he was afraid if a heated discussion took place, things would be said that the speakers would regret, and there was no reason for debate anyway as every one had their minds made up. The Boston Journal stated that a large number of Republicans left the hall when this motion was passed, but by actual count only seven persons left, whether because they were disappointed at not seeing any fun, or for other reasons. A ballot was taken and the check list was used, no one being allowed to vote who did not appear on the list. Harrison, Mr. George F. Williams and John F. Payne of the ward and city committee, and Mr. Elias Jones were appointed counters. The fullest opportunity was given for the challenging any vote, but no challenge was made, and of the 80 votes cast all but one were for John B. Turner, the present incumbent, whose term expires in February next. The vote was a splendid endorsement of Mr. Turner, and it shows that the Republicans of Newtonville are in favor of civil service reform by a large majority. If the caucus can be taken as a fair representation of Republican sentiment here, the result was, certainly a remarkable one, and shows that Newtonville Republicans believe in living up to the civil service plank in the last Republican platform. "We will not fail to vote for the promises, because the Democrats have broken them."

All sorts of rumors have been afloat since the caucus, one of the most amusing of which is that the hall was packed with Democrats from the Nonantum Worsteds Co., who were persuaded to vote for Harrison and fall and took this chance of getting even. The fact as stated by one of the prominent Republicans present, is that few or none of the Worsteds men were present.

It is also said that the caucus was packed with mugwumps, but if so, they must have voted for Harrison, for the votes would have been challenged by the chairman or the counters, or some of the regular Republicans present.

Whether the vote of the caucus will decide the matter remains to be seen. So far very few Democrats have been appointed to office by this administration, and some people doubt whether Wana-maker or Clarkson would countenance such an "irregular" proceeding. The future political complexion of the Ward is said to hang upon the renomination of Mr. Turner.

## WEST NEWTON.

—Thomas Murphy is building a house on North street.

—Mrs. Soth Davis has been spending the week at Vezie, Maine.

—Mr. W. B. Colligan is enjoying his vacation at Crescent Beach.

—Mr. James Keegan is lying very ill at his home on Watertown street.

—Mr. Chas. H. Stacy is spending his vacation at Weirs, New Hampshire.

—Miss Annie M. Hale has returned to her home in Chicopee for the winter.

—Mr. B. M. Kattelle has returned from his vacation to his home on Prince street.

—Be sure and attend your Republican ward caucus tomorrow, Saturday, night.

—Mr. J. F. Ellis is the guest of Miss Lizzie Hewitt, Carroll county, Maryland.

—Miss Bessie Cook of Norwalk, Conn., is visiting at Dr. Knott's, Watertown street.

—The new house of Mrs. A. P. Wise on Prince street is nearly ready for occupancy.

—Dr. Knott has returned from a visit to his mother at Claremont, New Hampshire.

—Mr. Holland and family of Beachmont have taken the Allen house on Cherry street.

—Mrs. Moore and family have again taken possession of their house on Temple street.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Burrage have returned from their two weeks' trip to Eastport, Me.

—Mrs. Trowbridge is assisting Miss Rehean at the postoffice, during Mr. Stacy's absence.

—Miss Flora Pettigrew has returned from London, where she has been enjoying her vacation.

—Officer and Mrs. John Conroy are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

—Mr. Seaver starts next Monday on a shooting trip through Vermont in company with his brother.

—Mr. E. L. Lemon of the Graphic has been at the Hotel Sorrento, Frenchman's Bay, this week.

—Mr. C. M. Whittlesey's residence, Church street, will be ready for occupancy about October first.

—Mrs. W. H. Daniels has returned from Mount Nanatuck, where she has been spending the summer.

—Miss Maggie Whalen of Lexington street, was removed to the Worcester Insane Asylum this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Waite have returned from their trip to Halifax and other points in the Provinces.

—The improvements on Mr. A. E. Kingman's residence on River street are rapidly approaching completion.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Day have registered this week at the Twin Mountain House, White Mountains.

—Mr. Geo. A. Field and family have returned from Nantasket, where they have been spending a few weeks.

—Miss Annie M. Hale will attend the wedding of her brother, L. David Hale, of Springfield, on the 15th inst.

—The poll taxes are coming in very promptly this year, as voters wish to avoid the rush just before the 15th.

—Mr. Packard of Waltham is building a large addition to the old Hyde house on Cherry street near the Waltham line.

—Mr. Everett Palmer, the genial clerk at A. F. Wright's drug store, will leave next week to enter the college of pharmacy.

—James Peaseley's house, Derby street, was entered early Monday evening and his trunk broken open. Nothing was taken.

—Miss Calista S. Wood resumed her duties as principal of the Barnard school, this week, much invigorated by her year's vacation.

—President Bond has returned from his vacation in New Hampshire, and presided at the common council meeting Monday night.

—The large force of men and teams at work on the Valentine estate are making a decided change in the appearance of that locality.

—The house of R. B. Conroy on Derby street was entered by burglars last Thursday in search of spirituous liquors, but nothing was obtained.

—Mrs. W. B. Colligan and little daughter are spending a few weeks with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd, Moody street, Waltham.

—Miss C. E. Marsh will be prepared to receive pupils on the piano after the 20th. Miss Marsh is an experienced and very successful teacher.

—Fred S. Keith, N. H. S. 88' of Auburndale, James Duane of '89 and Eggleston of '89 of Newton, all enter the Harvard Medical school this fall.

—The many friends of Mrs. Wilder M. Bush will be glad to learn that she is, although slowly, recovering from her long and severe illness.

—Mr. Eugene Crockett returned this week from a fortnight's study in the New York hospital, and is again at the City Hospital in Boston.

—Notice is given in another column that money deposited in the West Newton Savings bank on or before Oct. 5th, will draw interest for the next quarter.

—The Athenaeum reading-room has been greatly improved, new steam radiators have been put in, the walls tiled, and the place has a very cozy appearance.

—Mr. Wm. H. Pettigrew has the contract for building a handsome residence for Mr. W. H. B. Dowse on his estate on Temple street. Mr. Pettigrew has already nearly completed the stable.

—The new house on Prince street, which is being built for Mr. H. L. Ayer, is fast approaching completion, and will be ready for occupancy on the return of Mr. Ayer and his bride from their European trip.

—A Fitzpatrick was before the court this week charged with destroying his father's will, but as the testimony showed that he acted in obedience to his father's orders, and was also not benefited by the act, he was acquitted.

—At the Pierce school no change have taken place in teachers. The Davis school release Miss Tolman, who goes to the Williams school, and has been taken by Miss Clark of Newton Highlands. The number of scholars at the present time one year ago, was considerably smaller, and all the rooms are full. At the Davis and Pierce schools new ventilation has been substituted.

—A reception was tendered Rev. D. W. Faunce, D. D., in the parlors of the Baptist church, Wednesday evening. About one hundred were present and an enjoyable evening was passed. The music was rendered by a quartet composed of Miss Jessie Stickle, soprano; Miss Alice Bruce, alto; Mr. Samuel Waters, tenor; and Mr. Albert Putnam, basso. Miss Stickle gave several solos in a very pleasing manner. A collation was served by the ladies of the church.

—Theodore E. Kitching was arrested in Boston on Tuesday on an indictment warrant from the Grand Jury. He is charged with embezzling money from Mr. Chas. Hepp of 220 Atlantic avenue, Boston. It is said that at investigation will be necessary to disclose the amount of the alleged embezzlement, which is placed at several thousands of dollars. The money was placed in the hands of the accused to be used in a business transaction for complainant's benefit.

## AUBURNDALE.

—Mr. W. E. Plummer is enlarging his store on Auburn street.

—Dr. Bellows has returned to his residence on Central street.

—Mr. George R. Coffin and family are at home from their vacation.

—Miss Madie Dyer entertained a few friends Wednesday evening.

—Miss Marsh of Grove street has returned from her summer trip.

—Mrs. Henry A. Pemberton has returned to her home on Woodland avenue.

—Be sure and attend your Republican ward caucus tomorrow, Saturday, night.

—Mr. A. F. Noyes' family have returned from their summer visit to Castine, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pickard have returned from their sojourn at Old Orchard.

—Mrs. Albert Warren is spending a few weeks with her brother at Woodstock, Conn.

—Dr. Chadbourne of Cambridge occupied the pulpit at the M. E. Church last Sunday.

—Mr. Thomas Townsend has returned from his vacation to his duties at Vicker's grocery.

—Miss Belle Bragdon has returned from Chicago, where she has been spending a few weeks.

—James Costello is taking the place of James Buckley on Tinkham's hack during the latter's illness.

—Arthur Plummer has returned from his vacation at St. Johns, N. B., where he caught his first trout.

—Mr. and Mrs. Crosby Salmon and child of Springfield are visiting Dr. Childs and family on Lexington street.

—Miss Kate M. Plummer has returned from her vacation and resumed her teaching of piano and organ.

—Church of the Messiah.—Beginning with next Sunday the Sunday school will be at 3 p. m., and evening at 4:15.

—Mr. and Mrs. Shillaber of New York have been visiting Mrs. Shillaber's Mother.

Mr. Isaac Dillingham of Woodland avenue.

—Miss Nellie Smith, who has been visiting at Mr. J. Q. Adams, Grove street, has returned to her home at West Lebanon, New Hampshire.

—Mr. Charles G. Tinkham attended the reunion of the 40th regiment, M. V. M., of which he was a member, held in Faneuil hall last Saturday.

—The enlargement and repairs of the Methodist church are nearly completed, and it is expected that the improved quarters will be occupied by Oct. 1st.

—The Amphion Male Quartet will compose the whole choir at the Congregational church this winter, instead of the double quartet which furnished music last season.

—Mrs. Blackstone and son, who have been spending the summer with Mrs. H. W. Robinson and family on Lexington St., will return to their home in California next week.

—Miss Jewell, Miss Davis, Miss Foster and Miss Smith, who attended the Riverside school last year, have gone this week to Wellesley where they will continue their studies.

—The lawn party given by the ladies of the M. E. church on the Seminary grounds, Monday afternoon and evening was a success in spite of the unfavorable weather. About fifty dollars were cleared to add to the church fund.

—Lasell Seminary will open its scholastic year Sept. 19. Principal Bragdon has been at Auburndale all summer, overseeing improvements. A change has been made in the swimming bath whereby more open water is to be given the swimmers. The course of study has been advanced so that algebra is wholly in the preparatory year, and the freshman begins with geometry.

—A promenade concert was given in the clubhouse of the Newton Boat Club at Riverside Saturday evening. The threatening weather prevented many from attending, nevertheless quite a large company of ladies and gentlemen were present and participated in the pleasures of the occasion. Music was furnished by Rollinson's orchestra of Waltham. The club grounds and clubhouse were prettily illuminated with Japanese lanterns. The concert initiated a series to be given Saturday evenings in September. On Saturday afternoons, preceding the evening concert, tennis tournaments will be held, limited to members only, and prizes will be offered for winners in singles and doubles. The program will be carried out under the supervision of the entertainment committee, comprising Messrs. H. H. Cutler, Austin S. Kilburn and Horatio Page.

—Miss Pinnock, teacher of the 7th class in the Williams school, has resigned, and Miss Tolman of the Davis school, West Newton, takes her place. The 6th class, designed by Miss Bachelder, is taken by Miss Battles of Hopedale. The number of scholars has increased considerably over that of last year, the primary room being unable to meet the demand without the use of chairs. The other rooms in the building are as well filled as the comfort of the scholars will allow, of whom there are 100 in the Williams school, Cambridge, Malden and other places nearer home. Two of the last year's 8th grade scholars passed the examination for entrance to the High School, skipping the year in the 9th class. It is a great argument in favor of our public schools that a scholar is free to advance in his studies as fast as he or she may wish, being promoted to the higher grade at any time during the year, if the pupils are competent to pursue the studies of the advanced grade.

## Prevention for Potato Rot.

A successful remedy for potato rot would have much interest for farmers and gardeners this season, as it is said to be unusually prevalent. It is said that Professor Clarence M. Weed, the entomologist and botanist of the Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station, has completed a very satisfactory test of a method of preventing and destroying potato rot. This disease very commonly attacks potatoes and often reduces the crop one-third to one-half. The rot is caused by a minute parasitic plant, called a fungus, whose spores or seed fall upon the potato leaves, germinate and grow, taking its substance from the leaves and ultimately destroying them. The remedy used by Professor Weed, was to sprinkle a solution of copper and lime over the potatoes. The experiment was made upon four different varieties of potatoes, and resulted in an increase of sixty-two bushels to the acre over an equal number of rows that were not treated.

## New Importations

of stylish cloths for gentlemen's wear at Churchill & Bean's, 503 Washington street, Boston. If you wish a well made, stylish suit, and a perfect fit, there is no better place in Boston to leave your order. They have just received a new and complete assortment of suitings, cassimeres, and worsteds, for fall and winter suits, to which the attention of their patrons is called.



## CITY OF NEWTON.

September 3rd, 1889.  
ORDERED IN THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.  
Ordered on the petitions of the Newton Street Railway Company that said corporation be authorized to build its track upon the side of the street when it is located at certain points instead of in the centre at all points. And that said railway be granted a location on Crafts street, that a hearing be given the petitioners on Monday, Sept. 16th inst., at 8 o'clock P. M.  
And that notice of the same be given all parties interested, by posting a copy of this order in the public hall of this building this day and by publication in the Newton Journal and Newton Graphic in their next two numbers at the expense of the petitioners.  
In the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Sept. 3d, 1889, read and adopted.  
I. F. KINGSBURY, Clerk.  
Approved, Sept. 3, 1889.  
EDWIN O. CHILDS,  
Chairman pro tem. Board of Aldermen.  
A true copy, Attest,  
ISAAC F. KINGSBURY,  
City Clerk.

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## REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES

The Republicans of Newton and all other Voters who intend to support the Republican candidates are requested to meet on  
**Saturday evening Sept. 14th, 1889**  
at 8 o'clock in their respective Wards as follows:  
Ward 1. Armory Lower Hall.  
Ward 2. Tremont Hall.  
Ward 3. City Hall.  
Ward 4. Auburn Hall.  
Ward 5. Old Prospect Schoolhouse.  
Ward 6. Associates Hall.  
Ward 7. Eliot Lower Hall.  
To choose in each Ward delegates to the following Conventions: State, Councilor, Senatorial, and County.  
Each Ward being entitled to the following number of delegates:  
Ward 1, two. Ward 2, three. Ward 3, two. Ward 4, two. Ward 5, two. Ward 6, three. Ward 7, three.  
Also to transact any other business that may properly come before the Caucus.  
Per order of the Republican Ward and City Committee.  
H. C. WOOD, Secretary.  
C. BOWDITCH COFFIN, Chairman.

## KINDERGARTEN

Mrs. A. Wellington's Kindergarten will open September 23d at corner of Harvard and Bowers streets, Newtonville. 48 2

## A. B. ALLISON

Will continue lessons with Pianoforte pupils after Sept. 17th, and is prepared to receive pupils in Harmony. Address Newton, Mass. 48 8

## THE MISSES ALLEN'S Boarding &amp; Day School for Girls,

29 Vernon Street, Newton,  
Will reopen September 25.  
In addition to the regular classes in English studies, the languages, and music, a class of girls from 8 to 12 years old will be formed Sept. 25th. The number will be limited and special advantages will be offered. Application may be made now. 47 5

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All night to hear it playing on the shore—  
In this sea dream such drafts of life I take,  
I cannot ask for more.

Behind me lie the life and vain,  
The task unfinished and the weary hours;  
That long wave bears me softly back to Spain  
And the Alhambra's towers!

Once more I halt in Andalusian pass,  
To list the mule bells jingling on the height;  
Below, against the blue and purple grass,  
The almonds glimmer white.

Huge gateways, wrinkled, with rich grays and  
browns,  
Invite my fancy, and I wander through  
The gable-shadows, zigzag streets of towns  
The world's first salons knew.

Or, if I will, from out this sea-line  
Low-lying cliffs of lovely Calais rise;  
Or yonder, with the pomp of olden days,  
Venice salutes my eyes.

Or some giant castle looms up its stair;  
I see, far off, the red-tiled hamlets shine,  
And catch through slits of windows here and  
there,  
Blue glimpses of the Rhine.

And now I linger in green English lanes,  
By garden plots of rose and belladonna;  
And now I face the sudden pelting rains  
On some lone Alpine slope.

Now at Tangier, among the packed bazaars,  
I saunter, and the merchants at the doors  
Smile and entice me; here are jewels like stars,  
And curved knives of the Moors.

Cloths of Damascus, strings of amber beads;  
What would Howard! silver, gold, or  
stone?  
Prone on the sun scorched plain without the  
gate,  
The camels make their dream.

All this is mine, as I lie dreaming here,  
High on the windy terrace, day by day;  
And mine the children's laughter, sweet and  
clear,  
Ringing across the bay.

For me the clouds: the ship sails by for me;  
For me the petulant sea-gull takes its flight;  
And mine the tender moonrise on the sea,  
And hollow coves of night!

## SHE BAFFLED THE BRIGANDS.

While in a small town in Wyoming Territory, I learned that a lady living there had been the heroine of a thrilling adventure with train-robbers, and curiosity and love for the brave induced me to call on her to tell me the story. When I went to her house I was welcomed by a handsome lady of thirty, and in response to my earnest request for this one chapter of her life, she related the following true tale:

In 1873, when but a girl of eighteen, I left my home in Omaha and came out here to fill the lonesome position of night operator at a small station on the Pacific Railway in this Territory. It was a dreary, desolate spot, in the midst of a desert.

The only buildings at the station, apart from the depot, were a section-house, occupied by a track foreman and a few Chinese laborers, a water-tank and coalshed. The day operator and agent, a mere boy, slept at the section-house, about two hundred yards distant, so that during the long, dreary night I was alone at the depot. Number four express train, bound east, was due at 2:15 in the morning, but it never stepped unless signalled, and as it was the only train during the latter portion of the night, you can imagine my lonely situation upon the desert wild. I had my books and guitar as companions, and passed much of the time reading, and when the doleful howlings of the wolves were borne to my ears from the distant sand-hills, I would pick up my guitar and endeavor to drown their cries with music and song.

The superintendent of the division, a buoyant, light-spirited young gentleman, came over the road at frequent intervals, and cheered me up with promises of a better position when a vacancy should occur. He often found me on the very brink of despair, almost on the point of resigning my position and returning to my humble home and the mother who depended on my salary for the necessities of life; but his genial conversation and words drove away the gloom, and I came to look for his visits with a sense of the keenest pleasure. I began to regard him with a sisterly affection, he was so kind and tender, and solicitous for my welfare and comfort.

One night, shortly after midnight, as I sat at my table reading a late novel, I thought I heard a shuffling footstep on the depot platform, but, as it was not repeated, I concluded it was but a wolf, more daring than his cowardly fellows, and I resumed my book.

A few moments later I heard a low knocking at the door, which I always kept locked, and a strange feeling came over me. During my several weeks' stay at the station I had never had a visitor, and the sudden knock, so low, yet so startling clear in the stillness of the night, caused my form to tremble and my cheek to blanch.

My first thought was of Indians, and then I reasoned that it might be some tramp desiring shelter. While I sat there in affright, the knock was repeated, louder than before, and mustering all my courage, I approached the door and asked:

"Who's there?"

A gruff voice replied:

"A traveller who desires to take the east-bound train."

It was my plain and unmistakable duty to admit him, and with trembling fingers I drew the bolt.

Instantly the door was pushed violently open, and I sprang back to the table and sank into my chair in terror, when seven burly men, wearing cloth masks on their faces and armed to the teeth, entered the office. One of them, evidently the leader, walked up to me, and, pointing a large revolver at my head, said, in a low, firm voice:

"Gal, we don't want to hurt you, but if you make a suspicious move, or scream or give any alarm, so that any of the men in the section-house kin hear you, I'll spile the looks of that pretty face with a bullet. Be quiet and sensible, and behave yourself, and yer shan't be hurt. What's yer red signal lamp?"

"What would you do?" I gasped.

"Non of your business. We don't want to hear any unnecessary back talk, nor no impertinent questions. What's the red lamp?"

A chill of horror swept over me when the truth burst upon me that I was in the hands of a band of desperate train-robbers, whose evident intention was to signal the train and rob the express car at my station.

What could I do? It was yet three hours before the train was due, but I could not elude my captors to rouse the section-men, and I knew by the gleam in the leader's eyes, through the holes in his mask, that if I made the least outcry he would not hesitate to carry out his threat to murder me.

I knew they could find the lamp easily by searching for it, and in a trembling voice I told him it was hanging just inside the door of the freight-room. One of the men got it, and after examining it to see that it was in order, the rough band took seats to await the incoming of the train.

The leader lit his pipe, and, looking at me steadily for a few moments, said: "Young gal, when that ar' train toots her whistle, we've got some work for you—an official duty as you might call it. You must go out there on the platform, and signal the train to stop at the depot. You must be a first-class passenger, an', look here, if you make a suspicious move, or don't swing the red lamp in the proper way, we'll just ventilate that graceful body with bullets, an' jump on our horses and git. Do you understand?"

A desperate resolve had been taking shape in my bewildered brain. I replied that I fully understood him, and with a piteous cry, "Oh, you will make a murderer of me!" I threw my arms and my head down upon the table and began to cry and sob as if my heart were breaking. Had he seen my face, he might have noticed a total absence of tears. I was crying for a purpose.

When my arms dropped upon the table, I allowed my hands to fall upon the armature of the telegraph instrument, so that I could prevent it from ticking, while my right hand rested upon the key.

Sobbing, so that any slight clicking the key might make not reach the robbers, I opened it and slowly made telegraph characters:

H E L P

These I repeated several times, hoping they might reach the ears of some operator on the line. I then slowly and distinctly wrote these words, still sobbing violently:

"Who—hears—this—for—heaven's—sake—report—to—train—despatcher—at—once—quick—that—I—am—in—the—hands—of—seven—robbers—who—will—compell—me—to—flag—N-4—Send—help—quick."

Then I signed name and office call. I released the armature, and the instrument clicked out:

"Hear—up—little—girl—I—hear—you—H."

"H," was the train-despatcher's call. With a fierce shout, the leader sprang forward and rudely snatched me away from the table, and asked:

"Gal, what's this?"

"Only a distant office asking for orders for a freight train," I responded.

"None o' yer livin', you little imp!" he roared. "Yer up to some trick!"

"No," I replied, "I am not. If I were doing that, my fingers would be on the instrument. Don't you see I am not touching it, and yet it works?" It is only an order to a freight train away down at Medicine Bow."

"Keep away from that table," he said savagely. "An' if I ketch you at any tricks, I'll choke the life out o' you."

Oh, how eagerly my ears drank in every word the instrument tickled out! I leaped to my feet, and, taking up the Green River, twenty miles west, asking him to arm a posse of men at once and get on board a special train, which would be ready for him. Then another to the young superintendent, who was at Green River, telling him my slowly written order had been heard by the despatcher, and asking him to supervise the preparations to fly to my relief. Then a third dispatch to the master mechanic, instructing him to fire up his fastest passenger engine and couple on to a carriage and await the superintendent's orders. Then, at last, I turned to the robbers, and said:

"The superintendent, with sheriff and twenty armed men, are aboard, and train ready for orders."

The order came flying. It told the engineer he had a clear track, and to run at his very highest speed to within a half mile of my station, and with his party to alight. Then came the welcome report from the Green River office:

"Special east departed at 1:15."

Oh, how my poor heart beat, and how my every nerve tingled with excitement! 1:15—I mentally figured that the train, on such a desperate errand, should make nearly a mile a minute and reach the stopping-point at 1:30.

The robber chief gave his men their instructions. I was to be sent alone to signal the train, and when it halted the band would make a rush for it.

"Bill, you jump on the engine as soon as she stops, and hold the engineer and fireman under your gun. Jack, you pile into the mail car an' make the clerk give up his registered letters, an' Yank an' Aleck'll work the express car, while Tom and Shorty hold the conductor an' brakeman back. Do your work quick an' bold, an' don't be afeared to burn powder if necessary."

How eagerly I watched the clock, and how slowly, how very, very slowly the hands seemed to move—1:21, 1:23 and 1:30 were ticked off—1:35! Would they never come?

The men sat on the bench along the west side of the room facing the two windows on the east. I tried to figure how long it would require for the men to walk to the depot from the stopping-place. Perhaps, even then, they were surrounding the station, and I might hear a knock at the door any instant.

Oh, horrible thought! In a few moments I might see men shot down before my face, and I myself might be killed. I almost fainted with fright. The blood seemed to freeze in my veins, and I grasped the chair, or I should have fallen to the floor.

There came a fearful crash of glass, and the black muzzles of a perfect cloud of rifles were thrust through the windows and pointed directly at the robbers. Then a voice cried out, "Men, throw up your hands! I am the sheriff, and in the name of the law demand your surrender. Make but a move and I'll order my men to fire!"

"Yer little cat!" hissed the leader, glaring at me savagely, as the band suddenly held aloft their hands. Then the sheriff and three men entered and disarmed and handcuffed the robbers, and I saw the superintendent looking at me and heard him say: "What a debt I owe you, my brave girl!" Then I fell fainting into his arms.

When I regained consciousness I was lying in my room at Green River, with several ladies around me, and was told that seven days had elapsed since the capture of the robbers. I was suffering from brain fever, brought on by the terrible strain I had passed through, and had been unconscious for that long period. For many days thereafter I hovered on the border between life and death, and the superintendent was at my bedside several times every day, talking me up with words of encouragement, and

doing all in his power to alleviate my sufferings.

I finally recovered, and was called into court to testify against the desperate gang. I shall never forget their fierce glances toward me as I told how I entrapped them, or how, in spite of the efforts of the judge and court officers to suppress it, the crowd cheered me as I left the stand. The men were sent for a long term to an Eastern prison, and I have never heard of them since.

"And did the company reward you for saving the train?" I asked.

"Well, only slightly. Corporations have no souls, you know. But I revenged myself on the superintendent, in a manner."

"In what way?"

"I married him," she replied, with a smile.—Baltimore News.

## California Correspondence.

Oakland, September, 1889.

To the Editor of the Graphic:

A clever way of capturing a gang of Chinese tan players was successfully carried out in San Francisco recently by three police officers. In order not to create suspicion, two of the officers appeared dressed in skirts and widows black veils, and escorted, as if strangers and seeing the sights of Chinatown, by a red-bearded guide. They started from Dupont street and cautiously wended their way along the streets, stopping occasionally, as the reporter says, "to fix their widows' veils and give their bustles a hitch," as women do. But on arriving at a certain place they had been aiming for, they suddenly dropped their skirts and veils, and dashed, pistols in hand, into a Chinese gambling den. The widows were seen no more, but at length three policemen were seen to come out accompanied by seventeen arrested Chinamen. Ah Chuck, the owner of the gambling house was fined \$40, and the remaining sixteen had to each pay \$20 for playing tan, or rather for being caught in playing the game. Doubtless the chattering Chinese tan player will hereafter beware of "widows."

A highly educated man, who belonged to a noted and talented family of Philadelphia, recently died in an Oakland prison. He was the son of the late Rev. Dr. Abernethy, Episcopalian minister, very well-known fifty years ago. The son was once a book-keeper in a mercantile house in San Francisco, but becoming nearly blind, he of course lost his position, and has wandered about, sometimes peddling for a living. At length, becoming discouraged at his small revenue he took to drink. Last week he was arrested three times, it is said, for drunkenness. Twice he was bailed out of jail by friends, but as he seemed to be on the verge of delirium tremens he remained in prison the third time, and Saturday morning he was found dead by the prison keeper. His much respected brother, Rev. James Abernethy, D. D., rector of an Episcopal church at Martinez, took charge of the body.

Not only does liquor have its pernicious influence in filling the jails of this coast, but opium, cocaine and morphine cause the downfall of many a talented young man. Not long since, fourteen criminals, all under the age of twenty-one, were arraigned for sentence in San Francisco on one day. It was stated that many of them were brought to crime through using opium. The Chinese are greatly responsible for introducing the drug to young boys.

There is perhaps less respect for civil law in California than there is in New England, yet there are great changes for the better since the terrible times of the vigilance committee, years ago. Human life is usually safe, and property rights are respected on the coast. Neither is it at all necessary to carry deadly pistols while travelling, as so many eastern people seem to suppose. I have known many a good God-fearing man to travel all over the coast with nothing better than a pen-knife and quill toothpick to defend himself with, and return without being molested. In exceptional cases like that of Judge Field, who had the greatest reason to believe that a murderer and ruffian, who had threatened his life, was liable to meet him and shoot him down like a dog. In such a case, no one can be blamed for preparing for safety while in the discharge of duty. Probably no one regrets more than Judge Field and Nagle that in self-defence it seemed necessary to use the deadly weapon. No one but the widow is heard to regret that the State is well rid of a man who has so often disgraced it, and doubtless the widow will survive the loss.

Rev. Dr. McLean of the Congregational church of Oakland, has recently, during his summer vacation, visited the northern portion of California, and has given an interesting account of his ascent of Mount Lassen, and of the Cinder Cone in the Sierra Nevada. The volcanic Cinder Cone he describes as being the most recently added of the "numerous retinue of volcanic cones by which that great giant volcano (Lassen) is surrounded." It is a cone of sand, and has its own production. Dead and blackened trunks of trees smothered by the eruption of Cinder-ash are still standing as witnesses of the latest volcanic disturbance in California, at so late a date by local tradition as 1857. The cone is over six hundred feet in height, and half a mile in diameter at the base. The outer surface is covered with sand, pumice, and coarsely pulverized rock, lying a yielding mass at an angle of forty-five degrees. He said the ascent was very tiresome because of the looseness of footing, it taking about one hour to go up and about six minutes to come down. The president of the University of California, who accompanied the doctor, was struck with a "bright idea" which in going up the cone proved of great help. It was to have each grasp a stone in each hand to serve as a foot, and then crawl like bears upon all fours. "We found this method to wonderfully facilitate our progress," says the doctor, "even if it did not add to our dignity." The top is of a rounded shape and about 300 yards across. It is hollowed down into an inverted cone 175 feet deep from the highest point of the rim. The near view from the summit is "striking and horrid." The timber over a plain of several hundred acres had been smothered by showers of sand, leaving ghostly relics where used to be thick woods. On the eastern side was seen a sand heap covering an area of nearly two miles square and a hundred feet deep. The doctor pronounces the Cinder Cone with its surroundings as well worth a visit, and as one of the most interesting localities in California, although not as well known as many others.

Mount Lassen rises in the form of a flattened cone, 2,000 feet above the gray lava, which constitutes its base. Its four peaks are from 250 to 350 feet above the depression which once was the crater of a great volcano. Twenty-two lakes could be seen from the highest point and no less than forty extinct craters can also be seen, of all heights, shapes, and sizes. Evidence of former glaciers could be distinctly seen along the ridges and rock walls, and most if not all the lakes observable from the peaks "are but furrows plowed by the great glacial ice-pieces of the period of frost which succeeded the period of fire in preparing this part of creation for the occupancy of man."

Another phenomenon of interest is mentioned by the doctor. He says that during the five or six hours between beginning the ascent to the completion of the descent a vast army of beautiful butterflies was incessantly moving over the sky-line of the mountain westward. Swarming like bees, they persistently moved by a common impulse in the same direction. The wind would whirl them back in clouds sometimes, but they persevered and even conquered "trusty Boreas." Through the glass the vast army were followed by the doctor, far down into the Sacramento Valley.

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## May Fever Zuffers.

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## The Codfish Banks.

Wide publicity has been given lately to the reported discovery by the United States fish commissioner steamer Albatross of the extensive codfishing banks off San Diego. The journals of the southern coast towns have been much impressed with the importance of the discovery, and have had much to say about it. Old fishermen, who know well the habits of the cod, have been loth to believe that the fish could be found in any great numbers in such warm water and such an exposed position as designated, in the region of St. Nicholas Island. Evidently there is something wrong about the announcement. As far as the banks and shoals are concerned, these "discoveries" have been marked on coast survey charts for the past thirty-five years. The coast survey vessels have often sounded in the locality mentioned, and there has been more or less fishing done by them, but never has there been any cod found. The currents there are very strong, and any vessel of size can remain near the banks only with much difficulty. That the reported cod banks near Cape Lookout, on the upper coast, will prove of value is considered very likely, for there are many of the surroundings that fishermen consider most favorable to the cod.—San Francisco Bulletin.

## The Foot of the Grand Canyon.

I went to the bottom of the Grand canyon of the Colorado last winter and am one of the few men who ever attempted the descent. I went there to examine a mine said to exist in the bottom of the canyon. I have been all through the Rockies from Montana to Central America and know what a chasm is, but the sight of that abyss took my breath away. From the top to the bottom it is full 6,000 feet. Over a mile below you can see the river tearing through the gorge, but not a sound can be heard, it is so far away. From one bank to the other it is apparently not over a quarter of a mile, but as a matter of fact it is fully nineteen miles. My guide told me I would never be able to reach the bottom, but I was determined to go and I went. It was a terrible climb and it took us eight hours to reach the bottom. It is certainly the most desolate place in the world. There is no living thing down there—no insects, reptiles nor animals of any kind. Every thing is absolutely dead. The mining prospect was worthless. Before the sun was up the next morning we were on our way out, and it took us until 10 o'clock that night to climb the wall of the canyon.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

## The "Lost Cabin."

On Aug. 4, 1886, Charles E. Burnes and Nathan Hubbard left Linkville, Ore., on a prospecting tour to find the "Lost Cabin" in the mountains. For years the "Lost Cabin" has been one of the traditions of that section, and many a search has been made for it and the gold that is supposed to be waiting for the finder. Nothing was again heard of the two men until a few weeks ago, when a cattle herder found their camp and their skeletons in a dense wilderness near Diamond Lake, fifty miles from Fort Klamath. The skeletons were found near together, wrapped in their blankets and clothed. Their guns stood against a tree near by. A small sum of money was in one of the men's pockets, and a watch, so that it seemed certain that they had not been murdered and robbed. A diary and a postal card addressed to Burnes' mother served to identify them. The diary was carried to Aug. 21, 1886, so the men had been dead nearly three years. But how they died will probably be one of the mysteries of the Diamond Lake region.—Chicago Herald.

## Fruit Growing Out of the Rocks.

A hardy apple tree, loaded with ripe, luscious fruit, growing from the crevices of a rock, is a curiosity which has attracted the attention of visitors to Fairmount park through the Callowhill street entrance this summer. The tree, which is very large, shoots up from the crevice of the rocks blasted to form the pool for the pumping at the Fairmount water works. The apples on the tree are the beautiful rosy cheeked, yellow variety, and from their quality and size it would appear that there was some rich source of sustenance, though none is visible from any point of view, the roots being plainly seen clinging to the rocky walls, shooting in one crevice and out of another. Hundreds of small boys try, day after day, to procure specimens of the fruit, but the isolated position of the tree has thus far saved it from their raids.—Philadelphia Times.

## American Women at the Exposition.

This is about the way that the average American woman dresses to spend the day in the Paris exposition. The fashionable begin to go there immediately after breakfast, and take luncheon and dinner there, attend the concerts and spectacles from hour to hour, taking in all the Oriental departments, seeing the Eastern dancers, and getting a long rest in the afternoon by taking a wheeled chair and hiring a small boy to roll them about in a leisurely fashion among the palms and flowers in the horticultural department.—Paris Letter.

The forty-third annual report of the commissioners in lunacy for Great Britain contains interesting figures. On New Year's day last there were in the kingdom 84,340 insane persons. Various causes of insanity are set forth in a table covering 136,478 cases. Of these 9,369 persons lost their reason from domestic trouble, 8,060 from "adverse circumstances," 8,278 from overwork and worry, 3,769 from religious excitement, and 18,290 from intemperance. The influence of heredity was ascertained in 29,063 cases, and congenital defect in 6,881.

And now the superfluity of rain this year is given as a reason for the non-success of a large dozen seaside hotels. As a matter of fact, there are too many such establishments from Maine to California, and by no means enough people to "go round."

## KANSAS IS ALL RIGHT.

A Railroad Traveling Agent Tells a Reporter About Arkansas Valley.

Every one who comes to Kansas City from Kansas these days has his own particular stock of stories to tell about the wonderful crops in that state. Among the Sunday pilgrims who landed in the city Saturday was Charley Barrett, the good looking and talkative traveling passenger agent of the Missouri Pacific. He had spent four or five days in southern Kansas, and his mouth was going at the rate of 500 revolutions a minute about crops when he was flagged by a Times man on Main street.

"Wheat!" he exclaimed. "You never saw the like! The farmers down in southern Kansas had to rent the public roads to get room enough to stack the wheat. Wasn't room enough in the fields to hold the stacks. I saw one—"

"How is the fruit crop?"

"Fruit! You never saw the like! Apples as big as cannon balls growing in clusters as big as haystacks. I saw one apple that—"

"Don't the trees break down?"

"Trees! You never saw the like! The farmers planted sorghum in the orchards, and the stalks grew up like telegraph poles and supported the limbs. I saw one stalk of sorghum that was two feet—"

"How is the broom corn crop?"

"Broom corn! You never saw the like! There hasn't been a cloudy day in southern Kansas for a month. Can't cloud up. The broom corn grew so high that it kept the clouds swept off the face of the sky as clean as a new floor. They will have to cut the corn down if it gets too dry. Some of the broom corn stalks are so high that—"

"How is the corn crop?"

"Corn! You never saw the like! Down in the Neosho and Fall River and Arkansas bottoms the corn is as high as a house. They use stepladders to gather roasting ears."

"Aren't stepladders pretty expensive?"

"Expensive! Well, I should say so; but that isn't the worst of it. The trouble is that the children climb up into the cornstalks to hunt for eagles' nests, and sometimes fall out and kill themselves. Fourteen funerals in one county last week from that cause. I attended all of them. That is why I am so sad. And, mind you, the corn is not more than half grown. A man at Arkansas City has invented a machine which he calls 'The Solar Corn Harvester and Child Protector.' It is inflated with gas like a balloon and floats over the corn tops, and the occupants reach down and cut off the ears of corn with a cavalry saber. Every Kansas farmer has a cavalry saber, and—"

"Do they make much cider in Kansas?"

"Cider? You never saw the like! Oceans of it! Most of the farmers in Crowley county have filled their cisterns with cider. A proposition was made a few days ago to the water works company of Arkansas City to supply the town with cider through the mains, but the company was compelled to decline because they were afraid the cider would rust the pumps. They were sorry, but they said they would have to continue to furnish water, although it cost more. I saw one farmer who—"

"How is the potato crop?"

"Potatoes! You never saw the like! A man in Sedgewick county dug a potato the other day that was so big he used the cavity it grew in for a cellar. I saw one potato that—"

"The people must be happy over their big crops?"

"Happy! You never saw the like! I know men in the Arkansas valley who were too poor this time last year to flag a bread wagon, and now they have pie three times a day. One fellow that—"

But the reporter just at this point had a pressing engagement elsewhere.—Kansas City Times.

## To Preserve Dead Bodies.

There is a man in Denver who has an idea that the country ought to give up the present method of disposing of dead bodies and adopt one which he suggests. He does not advocate cremation, nor anything else which, so far as is known, appears to have been suggested by any other person. His scheme is to freeze the dead body in water, take the block of ice in which the body has been frozen and carry it to the north and deposit it on the shores of one of the Arctic seas. He says that he has already made some favorable progress, and that an English syndicate is considering the establishment of an international cemetery on the shores of Baffin's bay, where he says that future generations may go to find the faces of their ancestors of the Nineteenth century as natural as life.—New York Sun.

## An Immigrant's Fortune.

Thomas Monahan, an Irish millionaire, who lived in Melbourne for half a century, died recently. He was one of the 360 poor Irish immigrants who sailed for Australia in 1839, and the ship was in such a terrible sanitary condition that ninety of them died on the voyage. Monahan shrewdly invested his little earnings in land about Melbourne, with the result that blocks for which he paid £500 in those early days are now worth £350,000 each. His aggregate wealth is estimated at £2,000,000.—Exchange.

## A Twin Watermelon.

Aleck West, colored, we believe, is entitled to the ginger cake for the greatest curiosity this season in the way of a watermelon. He exhibits two perfect melons joined together. Both melons were fully developed and the meat was juicy and sweet—just like an ordinary melon. Aleck states that he first noticed that the runners from the vine grow double. They moved side by side and the result was the double melon. It was certainly a curiosity.—Greensboro (Ga.) Journal.

A brass ring was sent from Germany to a New Yorker the other day which was seized by the customs officers. The tax due to the government was three cents, and it cost the United States something like \$15 to collect that sum.

## A FEMININE AERONAUT'S NERVE.

It Carried Her Safely Through a Period of Awful Peril.

Fully 1,200 persons assembled at Jackson Mound park yesterday afternoon to witness the balloon ascension and parachute jump by Miss Dena Garrett. Miss Garrett is a small but compact and well knit woman, and of light weight, and this fact, as it proved later, saved her from a frightful fate.

At 5 o'clock the monster balloon was fully inflated, and the eager throng of sightseers mounted benches and tables to get a good view of the start. The ropes were released at a given signal. Professor Robinson cried "All ready!" and up shot the aerial ship, with its occupant hanging to the trapeze bar. Up went the balloon till the aeronaut could hardly be distinguished, and a hush settled on the crowd below as the awful consequence of a fall from that dizzy height presented itself to their minds. Many of these present had opera and field glasses through which they viewed every movement of the balloon and its occupant.

A height of fully 5,000 feet was at length attained and the balloon commenced to slowly descend, and still Miss Garrett did not make the leap. She was seen to attempt to pull the parachute toward her, but something was evidently wrong. As the balloon descended the parachute expanded, and when about 4,000 feet from terra firma Miss Garrett let go of the bar of the balloon and entrusted herself to the parachute. The latter, however, did not detach itself from the balloon, and the two continued slowly to descend. A few were heard to remark when they saw the apparently easy and safe descent, that it was done by prearrangement, and that the aeronaut did not intend to make the jump when she made the ascent.

Such people and the crowd generally were not aware that Miss Garrett was, by very reason of the parachute not detaching itself, in most deadly peril of being dashed to atoms. Professor Robinson knew it, and his cheek blanched as he watched the threatened catastrophe. Mr. J. J. Hogan was aware of it, and went into the ticket office to avoid seeing what he thought was inevitable. So also did a few others who knew enough of the relation the parachute bore to the balloon to be aware of what result might be expected.

The parachute is fastened with a cord to the side of the balloon. In one place the cord is almost cut in two, and when the aeronaut places his or her weight in the parachute the cord is broken at the weak spot and the parachute is freed. In yesterday's ascension the cord became twisted, thus giving it double strength, and when Miss Garrett swung out on the parachute the jerk was insufficient to part the line. It was at this juncture that the danger was most imminent. The cord being attached to the side of the balloon the weight on it caused it to curve, and a puff of smoke was seen to issue from it. It turned half over, but no further. Had it turned a few feet further, had the lady's weight been a few pounds greater, it would have capsized.

It was immediately over the parachute; had it capsized it would have collapsed, and its weight of 300 pounds would have come down on the parachute, and in a few seconds later Miss Garrett would have been dashed to the earth. The danger was not over till the balloonist was in jumping distance of the ground, but she made the descent in perfect safety about a mile south of the park.

Miss Garrett fully understood her awful position as she hung suspended in midair, uncertain at what moment she would be dashed to pieces, but she is true grit, and never faltered. She knew that all she could do was to hang on and hope for the best, and she hung on and was saved where a weaker woman's heart would have failed her, and she would have fainted and met an awful death.—Memphis Avalanche.

## A Will with Queer Provisions.

The will of the late Thomas Nesmith, of San Diego, is a curious and interesting document. Among its provisions is one giving a fund of \$5,000 to remain on interest for 150 years, the total at that time to be mostly used in building and equipping the Nesmith lyceum; one setting apart \$80 to run for the same time, the proceeds to be finally used in planting trees, building water troughs and picking up loose stone, and one giving Julian \$8,000 for a library, this fund to be available at once. The result of the first named benefactions will be that San Diego, A. D. 2039, will have a lyceum with an endowment equal to that of many colleges, and the improvement society an available fund which will line the road between the lyceum and the Julian library with the most approved form of shade.—Exchange.

## A Battlefield National Park.

It is proposed by the Chickamauga Memorial association that the ground on which the celebrated battle of Chickamauga was fought be bought by the association and converted for all time into a national park. This project will be pushed at the annual reunion of the Army of the Cumberland, when it is held at Chattanooga on Sept. 19. Efforts are being made to secure the attendance at this reunion of members of the Confederate army who fought in the battle of Chickamauga.—Exchange.

Mrs. Stephen Danforth, of Manchester-by-the-Sea, is another victim of the tobacco habit. She learned to smoke in Virginia, where she was born, and though she does her own work and looks after her husband, who is old and infirm, she is rarely without a lighted pipe in her mouth. She smokes twelve pipefuls daily. Mrs. Danforth will be 97 years old on her next birthday.

Grand Rapids, Mich., offered a bounty for the killing of English sparrows, and up to date boys have slaughtered over 10,000 of the pests. In addition, the boys have filled a horse with bird shot, punctured the leg of one of their number with the same and put out the eye of another.

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### NEWTON CENTRE.

—Mr. Wm. O. Knapp is occupying his house on Warren street.

—Councilman A. H. Roffe's new stable is fast approaching completion.

—Miss Corrie Smith of Sumner street, has returned from her vacation.

—Miss Helen Hawthorne has returned to her studies at Wellesley College.

—Mr. Archibald Brown of Sumner street has removed to Beachmont, Revere.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. D. Gross have returned from their visit at Saxonville.

—Mrs. J. Avery Baldwin and daughters returned on Saturday from Magnolia.

—Miss Stevens, the milliner, will return to N. S. Williams' store about the 20th.

—Be sure and attend your Republican ward caucus tomorrow, Saturday, night.

—Miss Alice Gardiner left on Thursday for Norton, Mass., where she is at school.

—Miss Mary M. Smith has returned to the Hatfield House, Northampton, Mass.

—Mrs. B. E. Taylor has returned from Cotuit, Mass., to her home on Grant avenue.

—Col. E. H. Haskell and family have returned from their vacation in New Hampshire.

—Mr. S. D. Loring and family are again domiciled at their Crescent avenue residence.

—Mr. Mark Thompson is one of the new divinity students, at the Theological school.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Silver of Station street have gone to Derby, N. H., for a short stay.

—Wm. Cotter received a bad sprain of the wrist by a fall from his bicycle one day this week.

—Mr. William Bartholomew has returned from Annisquam, where he has been sketching.

—Mrs. Goodspeed, Miss Ida Goodspeed, and Miss Emma Pope are at Cotuit for a week or two.

—Miss Burbank, teacher at the Oak Hill school, is boarding at Mr. Geo. Stearns on Parker street.

—Miss Mary H. Cornelius is visiting her niece, Mrs. Colby of Milwaukee, for a month or two.

—Dr. Joseph Elliot, whose wife died last week, is, we understand, now seriously ill in Grafton, Mass.

—Miss Ethel Garey of Lyman street is entertaining Miss Gertrude Bright and sister of Cambridge.

—Prof. and Mrs. Andrews, who have been visiting Alderman Harbach, have returned to Hamilton, N. Y.

—Mr. Newton of San Francisco who has been making his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Newton, a short visit.

—A large number from here attended the ball game at Boston Tuesday, between the Bostonians and Chicagoans.

—Rev. Mr. Grunbush of Syracuse, N. Y., was the guest of Mr. Moses G. Crane of Lake avenue, over Sunday.

—Mrs. Edward Keeler of Parker street is spending the week in Gloucester. Mr. Keeler returned the first of the week.

—Mr. Angus Robinson and Mrs. Martin have returned from Maine, Mrs. Robinson's health being somewhat improved.

—Mr. and Mrs. Francis I. Weston and daughter are staying with Mrs. Herbert N. Smith of Beachmont for a week or two.

—Hon. Leverett Saltonstall and family have returned to Chestnut Hill from Cohasset, where they have passed the summer.

—Richardson's market has had some Gravenstein apples this week from Nova Scotia that measured 13 3/4 inches in circumference.

—Mr. Robert Gardiner and family of Lake avenue have returned from New Brunswick, where they have been for a month or more.

—Mrs. Grout and Miss Louise Grout have gone to Boston for the winter. Mr. Chas. D. Barry moves into their house on Parker street this week.

—Mr. Robert Weir and family returned last week Thursday from New Brunswick, where Mrs. Weir and child have been spending the summer.

—Mrs. Theodore Nickerson and family returned yesterday to their residence on Institution avenue, after having spent the summer at the sea shore.

—Prof. C. B. Coit and family have rented and moved into Mrs. Trumbull's house on Sumner street. They are gladly welcomed back by many friends.

—Rev. L. C. Barnes gave the right hand of fellowship to Rev. Arthur L. Snell, at his ordination as pastor of the Baptist church in Foxboro, on Wednesday.

—Apple blossoms in full bloom have been picked this week by Henry Herse, the well-known baggage express man, from an apple tree in the rear of Farnham's block.

—The Gammans of New York, who have been visiting Mr. James Gammans and family of Beacon street, has returned to that city, Miss Gammans accompanying her.

—Mr. Henry H. Read has gotten out a very neat pamphlet entitled "In and About Newton Centre," giving its many attractions as a place of residence. It will be valuable for those who wish to be posted.

—List of letters advertised at the Newton Centre post office: Mrs. B. C. Conant, Mr. Mathew Madigan, Mr. James McHugh, Mr. C. V. Ramsdell, Mr. J. H. Sullivan, Mrs. Hannah Sheehan, Mr. E. Tupper, A. M. Joel Wilson.

—On Monday evening Chas. Crehore Paul of Centre street passed away after a long illness. He was a son of Mr. Henry Paul of Centre street, and one of the most estimable young men of the village. His funeral services were on Wednesday at his home.

—The 2:04 train for Boston, Monday afternoon, had among its passengers two small children for whom the conductor could find no claimant. They were left here and word was telegraphed back to Newton Highlands, where the mother of the children was fortunately found, intending to follow them on the next train. The family was soon after reunited and continued their journey towards Boston.

—The Mason and Rice schools are comfortably well filled, a trifle more than last year. Both schools average between 42 and 47 scholars to a room at present, whereas they averaged about 40 to the room last year. Miss Aldie L. Thompson of the Rice school has been granted two months' leave of absence on account of ill health, and Mrs. Fletcher is substituting. Miss Emma Thompson has been granted one year's absence, and Miss Stearns is substituting temporarily. Among the teachers at the Mason school, Miss Bucknam has been transferred to the 5th class and Miss Stultz takes the vacancy thus made. The Mason school house has been thoroughly repaired and cleaned, the cellar white-washed, a new system of ventilation put in, from which better and more satisfactory results are hoped for.

—Mr. Fred Hovey of this place has again carried off honors in a tennis tournament. Last week he played in the tournament with the Wellesley Hills Tennis association, against Williston, who is a remarkable good player. Both played from the back of the court, having some brilliant volleys, which won applause from the large group of spectators. Both worked hard for the game and each was at his best. Hovey won the sets 10-8, 6-4 after splendid playing. After this match for the second prizes were played by Hovey, having for his opponent, Wildes of Centre street. Hovey, as usual, gained the first two sets, with a score of 6-3, 6-3. Miss Mason and Miss Fitz of this village then played in the ladies' doubles against Miss Dewson and Miss Farrington. The young ladies from Newton Centre won the game after some one playing with a score of 6-2, 6-3. They then played Miss Vinal and Miss Whitmarsh. This game was often applauded, as it deserved, but was finally won by the latter players, by their remarkably good serving.

### ITS 225th Anniversary.

A portrait of Jonathan Homer, for many years minister of the First church in Newton, was painted in 1827 by Miss Sarah Freeman Clarke. The portrait is supposed to have belonged at one time to the late Dr. J. H. Dix of Boston, but since his death no trace of it has been found. Any information concerning the portrait, or any suggestion which may lead to its discovery will be thankfully received by the committee having in charge the celebration of the 225th anniversary of the Newton Centre Congregational church in October.

The committee also solicit the loan for exhibition of any memorials of the old church, its ministers or people, which may still remain among the families of Newton.

H. L. ORDWAY.  
For the Committee on Memorials.

### NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Brown have returned from their sojourn at Hull.

—Miss Mattie Leakey has entered the Normal school at Bridgewater.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Beal have arrived home from their visit to Marshfield.

—Miss Isabella Strong and Miss Carrie Putney have returned to Smith College.

—Be sure and attend your Republican ward caucus tomorrow, Saturday, night.

—The Chautauque Club will meet next Monday with the president, Mrs. E. J. Hyde.

—We hear that the Merrill house on Duncklee street has been sold to a Mr. Knight.

—The Friday night meetings at the Congregational chapel will commence at 7:30 o'clock hereafter, until further notice.

—Mr. T. E. Young and family of Walnut street, who have been absent for two or three months on the Cape, have returned.

—The base ball game played on Saturday last between the young men and the married men was won by the former, score 17 to 5.

—Mr. Gilbert Wright and family have returned from their visit of two weeks at Whitehead, the former home of Mrs. Wright.

—Letters in post office Sept. 9: Miss Annie Christenson, Mrs. George B. King, Mrs. Chauncey B. McGee, Richard Morton, Mrs. C. H. Walton.

—Mr. and Mrs. Potts, who have been making a visit with their daughter, Mrs. W. W. W. have returned to their home in Wilkesbarre, Penn.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gleason and son attended the wedding of Mr. Chas. A. Gleason and Miss Mabel E. Walton at Everett, Wednesday evening.

—Mrs. Pottle has returned to her home with her daughter, Mrs. A. B. Cook, after an absence of two months among friends and relatives in Maine.

—Mrs. W. P. Healey has moved into the tenement lately vacated by Mr. S. W. Cobbett in the Colburn house. Mr. Cobbett has moved to the Upper Falls.

—We understand that fifty-four persons voted at the election for alderman and councilman in Ward 3 and but three votes east for each. Is it a conundrum?

—Those new sign-boards that Mr. Waterhouse has had put up make such a fine appearance on his store, that it is expected that his neighbors in the block will follow suit.

—Two cellars have been staked out on the Dickerman lands, near Elliot street, on which a builder from Boston Highlands will build houses. Mr. John P. Keating has the contract for the cellars.

—Rev. Mr. Mills has gone to Kalamazoo, Mich., from which place he has had a call to take charge of a parish of five or six members and having a fine church edifice costing sixty thousand dollars, free of debt.

—Mr. C. F. Johnson has sold his house which he formerly occupied to a Mr. King, who will immediately take possession. Mr. Taft, who has occupied the premises for two months past, is making ready to move.

—Mr. Munro has taken the tenement over the postoffice and it has been put in good repair and he has now opened the same for a boarding and lodging house. That nice looking sign-board over the front door was painted by Mr. W. B. Bennett of the Highlands.

—The appropriation of six hundred dollars for the drain in Lincoln street having been expended the work has ceased. As this drain is intended to take water also from a portion of Erie avenue, where much trouble has been caused by surface water, it is hoped that an additional appropriation may be made sufficient to complete the work.

—The annual meeting of the Congregational sewing circle was held in the chapel on Wednesday and the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. S. C. Cobb; vice-president, Mrs. W. F. Logan; secretary, Mrs. Gilbert; treasurer, Mrs. Egle; directresses, Mrs. A. F. Hayward, Mrs. S. D. Whittemore, Mrs. G. S. Bryant, Mrs. E. H. Greenwood, Mrs. G. A. Moore, Mrs. C. C. Pottle.

### NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Dr. Hildreth is spending his vacation at Newport, R. I.

—Mrs. Knapp is entertaining two nieces from Berwick, Me.

—Mrs. Mosher, who has been seriously ill, is slowly improving.

—Mr. H. C. Hoyt and family are taking a vacation at Newport, R. I.

—Miss Jennie Freeman of Sumner street has been quite ill this week.

—Mrs. Hildreth of Grafton, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Trask.

—Mrs. J. A. True of Newburyport is visiting at Rev. Mr. Peterson's.

—Miss Mary Stuntz will return to her home in Pennsylvania this week.

—Mr. Frank Fanning is at New London, Conn. this week, on a business trip.

—New sign boards have been placed at the street corners around the village.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Hurd have been stopping at Newport, R. I., this week.

—Be sure and attend your Republican ward caucus tomorrow, Saturday, night.

—Mr. B. Billings attended the Billings' family reunion at Springfield last Friday.

—A large tree was blown down on Winchester street during the high wind Tuesday.

—Mr. H. H. Brooks of Boston made a short visit to his former home here Tuesday.

—Misses Alice and Jennie Santos of Berwick, Me., are visiting with Mr. H. A. Knapp.

—Mr. Chas. Baker has secured a position in the National Needle Works at Springfield, Mass.

—Miss Lillie Farrar of Newton Centre has been visiting at the residence of Alderman Pettie.

—The defective manhole on Chestnut street has been referred to the superintendent of streets.

—Rev. Mr. Hambleton and wife of West Medford have been visiting at the Methodist parsonage.

—The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Baptist church attended a revival meeting at Highlandville, this week.

—Dr. Eben Thompson and family have returned from Harwich, Mass., to their residence on Oak street.

—Mrs. Martha Barney of Elliot street was quite seriously injured by falling down stairs, one day this week.

—Mr. H. D. King, a former resident here, is having a fine residence built in the city of Lynn, where he is now living.

—Officer John Purcell, who has until recently been on the night force, is now doing day duty for the whole of Ward 5.

—The annual excursion party from here to the White mountains are perfecting arrangements for their usual trip this fall.

—Col. H. H. Easterbrook, fire editor of the Boston Globe and a former resident of this place, was in town one day this week.

—Telephones have recently been placed in the residences of Dr. McEwen, Councilman-elect Collins and Mr. Chas. H. Hale.

—Mr. S. A. Piper, contractor, has begun work upon the stable of Mr. Chas. Fitts and it will speedily be converted into a neat dwelling house.

—The thorough and efficient manner in which the streets have been repaired, under the supervision of Alderman Pettie, is appreciated by our citizens.

—Repairs were finished at the Pettie Machine Works, last week, and all hands returned to work Monday morning. The new engine is giving great satisfaction.

—Mr. W. H. McIntosh's horse was badly hooked this week by a fractious cow. Dr. Thompson sewed up the wound and the injured animal is expected to recover.

—Superintendent Emerson of the Baptist Sunday school has returned from his vacation and will be gladly welcomed by the members of the school next Sunday morning.

—Mrs. Hopkins of Chestnut street, and son, Wm. Hopkins, news editor of the Boston Globe, who have been spending a few weeks at their old home in Ohio, returned last week.

—At the invitation of Mr. Frank Thurston of Dorchester, Mr. J. T. Thomason and a party of ladies took a pleasant trip down Boston Harbor last week Thursday, in the elegant steam launch.

—Rev. Mr. Bentley, the first pastor of the Highlandville Methodist church, spoke last Sunday evening very acceptably. We understand the special meetings are to be continued through the present week.

—Giles Dyson, who drives a butter and cheese cart about the village, left his horse standing in a boy this and in the house of one of his customers, between this place and Highlandville, one day this week. In some way the horse was frightened and ran, managing to smash the wagon up quite badly, and naturally enough playing sad havoc with the contents.

—Prospect school opened its doors Monday morning to about the same number of pupils that attended last year, and the same teachers are remaining in the building. The primary school. The school house has been kept in nice order all through the summer months by Mr. Randall, the janitor, and all about the grounds is neat and attractive. A new and better system of ventilation has been introduced and the cellars thoroughly cleaned and white-washed.

### NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—Be sure and attend your Republican ward caucus tomorrow, Saturday, night.

—Thunmerous families who have been at the beaches during the summer, have all returned.

—Officer Leonard attended the business men's picnic of Newton Upper Falls at Sawin's grove last week.

—Caucus was held in Shaw's hall, Wednesday evening by the citizens of Walesley. A good and enthusiastic audience attended.

—Mr. Fred Downer, engineer on the night train between Lower Falls and Riverside, has returned from a week's vacation in Maine.

—Officer Harrison shot a dog last Monday evening by a family named Peterson. The cause for the shooting was for biting a member of the family.

—The city seems to be very backward in regard to the lighting of Beacon street by incandescent lights. Poles were erected quite a while ago and crossbars put on. Last Tuesday the crossbars were all removed.

—Wellesley has been doing a great deal of work between the Lower Falls station and the bridge, the past two weeks, and by the end of next week one will hardly recognize the locality.

—A new turbine wheel is being put in at Sullivan & Hosmer's mills. This wheel is the largest one in use in this village and with sufficient water power will prove to be a powerful machine.

—The case of John C. Peterson, charged with larceny of a buggy, property of Wm. Heedle's, a resident of Wellesley Hills, was booked to take place last Tuesday. No indictment was found and the case was thrown out. This case was tried at Wellesley two months ago and it proved to be beyond the jurisdiction of that court.

—The case of Bernard Fallon of Wellesley, which came off Wednesday in Dedham, resulted in favor of the defendant. The charge upon which he was held was for illegal liquor selling, this being the second time in six months and in each case no evidence was found which warranted conviction. The officers of Wellesley have had hard luck in the way of raiding alleged nuisances, and they are now required evidence when the case comes up.

### NONANTUM.

—Miss Alice Bradford spent last Sunday at the seaside.

—James Beal returned to Williams College on Tuesday.

—Mr. Wm. T. Wallis and family are visiting at Rowley, Mass.

—That pool of nasty green looking water still stands on California street.

—John Jones is improving his buildings by giving them a good coat of paint.

—Timothy Kelley has removed to Farrell's block and will keep a first-class boarding house.

—There is a gang of young hoodlums who nightly infest the gardens and orchards in this village. They have recently torn off the wire fencing which surrounds Mrs. Allison's orchard.

—Thomas Starr, who has been away from his home on Highlandville street since Sept. 4, returned last night. He has been at work in Worcester, and was quite surprised to learn of the excitement over his supposed disappearance.

—Cornelius Hayes, who has been suffering with consumption for some months past, died at the home of his mother on Monday night. He was formerly employed at the mills here. The funeral occurred at the Church of our Lady on Wednesday.

—Mr. Samuel W. Fletcher, of the firm of Fletcher & Towne, died at his home on California street last Saturday evening of cancer in the stomach. Mr. Fletcher removed to this place from Rindge, N. H., in 1876, purchasing the stock and store of Smith & Mayo near the Benis depot, where he has built up a good business and has amassed considerable property. At his death he was sixty years of age. He leaves a widow and three children.

—He was an active member of the North Evangelical society, having been a member of the standing committee for a number of years; he was also interested in the city politics and improvements. He was one of those men whom this village cannot well afford to lose. The funeral took place on Tuesday morning at the North Evangelical church, Rev. Mr. Lamb officiated and the interment was made in the family lot at Rindge, N. H., the same afternoon.

### Hollis Street Theatre.

On Monday evening, September 16, the famous Rudolph Aronson Comic Opera Company will begin their fourth annual engagement in Boston, at the Hollis Street Theatre, presenting the great New York Casino Success, "The Brigands," a comic opera in three acts, the music from the pen of Jacques Offenbach, and the libretto by Mr. W. S. Gilbert. The success of this opera at the Casino, New York, is the most pronounced ever in the history of the theatre. The presentation will have all the richness and completeness of ensembles so characteristic of this company. The scene of the opera being laid in Spain and Italy, permits of many changes of and beautiful colorings. The Spanish dances by a host of forty young and pretty girls, is quite a feature as it occurs in the third act, which is an original creation, by Mr. Henry Hoyt, called the Lavander and Pearl Solo. This scene is said to be even more gorgeous than the famous Erminie Pink Ball-Room scene. The cast is one of the best artistic ensembles ever seen in comic opera.

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### Wednesday, the Ninth day of October, 1899,

At Ten o'clock in the forenoon,  
All and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely: A certain piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situate in said Newton, and bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning on the westerly side of School street at the southerly corner of Waban street, thence westerly by said Waban street one hundred four and seven-tenths feet (104 7/10) to land late of Nathaniel Ayer; thence southerly by said Ayer's land one hundred feet (100) to land formerly of J. N. Bacon and Mrs. Chickering; thence easterly on said Bacon's and Chickering's land one hundred four and seven-tenths (104 7/10) feet to said School street; thence northerly on said School street one hundred feet (100) to point of beginning; being the same estate conveyed to me by deed of even date and intended to be recorded in Middlesex Registry No. District.

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Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Charles E. Eddy, Rebecca Warner and Chas. M. Warner all of Newton, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or securities on their bond pursuant to said will and statute.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of September instant, at nine o'clock, before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the NEWTON GRAPHIC, printed at Newton, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine. 183

J. H. TYLER, Register.

"Good evening, Mr. Stickley, you really must come and see me again sometime." "Er, but I wasn't going quite yet, Miss Eva." "Oh, I beg your pardon! You generally do go, you know, after an hour's silence."—[Time.]

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## NEWTON.

—Call on G. Wilkins Shaw and hear about Newton.

—Mr. Fred Hitchcock of Amherst was in town this week.

—Miss Daisy Davis of New York is visiting Miss Gilman.

—Mr. A. E. Whitney is removing to Indiana with his family.

—Dr. E. B. Hitchcock and wife have returned from their vacation.

—Mr. A. S. Weed has been spending a few days with friends in Maine.

—Ruggles Street Quartet and other talent at City Hall, Oct. 2. Fifty cents.

—Mrs. Frankland has still two pleasant rooms not engaged for the winter.

—President Seelye of Smith college will preach at Eliot church on Sunday.

—An article on the Newton Christian Alliance will be found on the 7th page.

—Mr. Samuel Hano is building an addition to his barn on Newtonville avenue.

—Mr. Samuel Farquhar has rented his house on Pearl street to Dr. McLaughlin.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Conkey have taken rooms at Mrs. Frankland's for the winter.

—Mr. Arthur Thayer resumed his duties as director of the Eliot church choir last Sunday.

—The welcome signal of no school was rung on Thursday morning, on account of the storm.

—Mr. John Souther of Hotel Hunnewell has rented Mr. W. E. Field's house on Waverly avenue.

—G. P. Atkins sells now 1500 pounds a month of the fine butter from the Turner Centre Creamery.

—Mr. Harry Whitmore has returned from a vacation spent at Amherst and Mount Bech.

—The auction sale of the buildings on the Silsby estate will probably draw a large attendance to-morrow.

—Housekeepers who appreciate the best will notice with pleasure "A Trial Offer" of the Magic, on 8th page.

—Mr. I. N. Peabody and family returned this week from Marblehead Neck, where they have spent the summer.

—Next Sunday is the last of Rev. Mr. Collins' vacation and the Sunday after he expects to be in his pulpit as usual.

—Attorney Wm. F. Bacon has opened an office at 24 Congress street, Room 3, Boston. His card will be found in another column.

—Mrs. J. M. Brackett, dress maker, 314 Washington street, starts today for New York on a business trip of a week or ten days.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Woods leave next week for New York to attend the openings of the machinery and to select goods for the coming season.

—The friends and pupils of Mrs. Vincent will be pleased to learn that she is back from her vacation and begins teaching after Sept. 15th.

—Mr. Arthur F. Burnett, the excellent tenor of the Channing church quartet, will give lessons in singing, and his card appears in another column.

—A caucus of the Republicans of Ward 7 is called for next Thursday evening in Eliot Lower Hall to nominate a successor to Councilman Hamblen.

—Rev. Geo. S. Butters of Newtonville will speak at the Y. M. C. A. meeting, Sunday, at 4 o'clock. Lead a large number be present and hear his interesting address.

—F. G. Barnes & Son have rented Mrs. C. H. Coffin's house on Mount Ida to Mr. Geo. F. Gross of Boston; also Mrs. Barstow's house on Jefferson street, to Mrs. E. C. Bigelow.

—The Girls' Friendly Society of Grace church, whose anniversary will be celebrated on the night of the 29th of the month, is one of the largest and most flourishing in New England.

—Mr. H. E. Hibbard intends to move the house now occupied by Mr. Crowell, recently purchased by him, to one of the lots on the Silsby estate, and include the lot in his already spacious lawn, which will be a great improvement to Brighton Hill.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of the Methodist church will hold its social Monday, Sept. 23rd, at 7:30 p. m., at the church vestry. Election of officers will follow after the supper, and all the young people of the church are especially invited to join at this time.

—The Women's ward of the Cottage Hospital is now so full that it is simply impossible to receive any more patients at present. All the beds are filled, and two patients are being turned away. The hospital needs another ward for private patients. There is a good opportunity now for some generous person to make good use of from \$3,000 to \$5,000.

—Tuesday was the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Cutler of Franklin street. It was not intended to celebrate it in a formal manner, but friends in Brooklyn, New York, and other places remembered the day with telegrams of congratulations and good wishes, presents of flowers, of gold, and made it a day of great pleasure to the esteemed couple. Mr. and Mrs. Cutler were married in Amherst, Mass., Mr. Cutler's native town, by Rev. George Cook, who died in Florida last winter. Mr. Cutler was for 29 years postmaster in North Amherst, where he was one of the leading merchants, being appointed in 1877 under Van Buren, and again by Lincoln, after a short interregnum under Buchanan. Mr. Cutler's experience covered many important events in our postal history, and he says the price of letters came down from 18 and 25 cents to 3 cents, which was thought to be so cheap that people could afford to write a letter once a week, now even a two-cent rate is thought to be too high; and there is a clamor for a reduction to one cent.

Y. M. C. A.

The meeting of the Y. M. C. A. last Sabbath was well attended, and ready hearers listened attentively to the words of Rev. J. P. McCullough as he spoke on "Friendship," comparing the friendship of Christ with that of man.

The Rutland Male Quartette rendered a number of pleasing selections, which added to the interest of the meeting.

## Police Court Record.

In the police court this week 20 cases have been disposed of, as follows: Drunks, 9; violation liquor law, 3; disturbance of the peace, 3; larceny, 2; assault on officer, 1; violation city ordinance, 1; violation railroad law, 1.

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## CHESTNUT HILL INDIGNANT.

Expression of Views Concerning the Delay in Securing High Water Service.

A GRAPHIC REPORTER INTERVIEWS SEVERAL PROMINENT RESIDENTS.

The residents of Chestnut Hill are indignant at the delay which attends the introduction of the high water service, and the opinion seems general that the city is neglectful of the interests of the people of that locality. Many wealthy gentlemen have recently come into possession of houses in this section of the city, at present poorly provided with water service, and in fact destitute of the luxuries in the shape of gas and electric lights that are enjoyed by citizens in other parts of the city, who are not called upon to pay a greater tax than their less fortunate neighbors and fellow citizens. Chestnut Hill, with its magnificent estates, grand dwellings and desirable residents, is far behind the times in the possession of modern conveniences and necessities. Its population is distinctly a tax-paying class whose annual contributions into the city treasury amount to a large sum, the loss of which in case of the annexation of that territory to Brookline, would be severely felt. The residents have now reached the point where "patience" comes to be a virtue and are making a vigorous demand for a speedy consideration of their desires, especially concerning the high service question. A GRAPHIC reporter in order to get at the sentiment of the people concerning the introduction of high water service, interviewed a number of prominent residents who expressed their views as follows:

HON. LEVERETT SALTONSTALL.

"I am extremely earnest in desiring high water service for Chestnut Hill. It seems to me that it is only just that the people should have it without delay, and I can see no reason why residents here should be taxed equally with those enjoying the best of water privileges, without deriving the same benefits. With the introduction of high water service the value of land would be materially increased and in a comparatively short time the expense of its introduction would be paid back to the city. I had hoped to derive the benefit of high water service this year, but there is no chance for that now. Within the past two weeks the residents have actually suffered owing to the lack of water. While I am not ungrateful for the water privileges that I now enjoy, yet I am under extra expense in pumping the water from the basement into my tank for use in the upper portion of the house. It seems to me that it was a gross mistake to place the reservoir on the side rather than on the top of the hill. There is a large amount of high land in Newton and the lack of water certainly impedes its development."

MR. A. D. S. BELL.

"The residents of Chestnut Hill have been particularly endeavoring for a long period to bring about the introduction of high water service, but it is the old, old story. We shall surely enjoy its privileges next year. I feel that these repeated promises have all exploded and that the people here have just reason to complain of the delay of the unreasonable delay. The water board has made one recommendation and asked for an appropriation from the city council, based upon the belief that a certain tract of land would be donated to the city where the standpipe could be located. The recommendation did not meet with the approval of the city government, simply because the water board had made the recommendation before ascertaining whether this tract of land could be secured without expense to the city. Hence another long delay. It will be several months at least before the preliminary steps are taken for the introduction of high service and many more months will follow before the citizens here will enjoy its privileges. In my opinion Chestnut Hill should be represented in the make up of the water board for its present members are apparently listless in considering the interests of this locality. The water board has certainly shown no spirit of enterprise in this matter and it needs the infusion of new life with a broader conception of the city's interests. During our trouble for the past two weeks, caused by the cleaning out of the reservoir and the accident at the pumping station we have received very courteous treatment at the hands of the water registrar and the men of the water department. I have no derogatory remarks to make, but I certainly think that the water board is unequal to the occasion, so far as the high service problem is concerned."

MR. H. DUMARESQUE.

Mr. Dumaresque of the firm of Jordan, Marsh & Co., was seen by the GRAPHIC in the library of his beautiful residence and the object of his visit soon explained.

"I have resided here since May 1887," Mr. Dumaresque said, "and during that time in order to supply water for use in the upper part of my house, I have resorted to the use of a Bell engine with the additional expense of a man employed to run it. When I leased the place, I was told that the high water service would be introduced at once and that I would be subjected to no further annoyance or extra expense. Under the existing state of affairs the lack of suitable water accommodations is a serious annoyance and a great nuisance. It seems to me that in a live city like Newton more enterprise should be shown. The residents in asking for the introduction of high water service are certainly reasonable in their demands and justly entitled to its privileges. There is no necessity for so much agitation of this question. The city government ought to take the matter in hand and put it through. Chestnut Hill is a beautiful and attractive place, but a desirable class of residents cannot be induced to locate here unless offered equal inducements with other suburban places near Boston. The water board fails to grasp the situation and is unable to realize the ultimate advantages that would result to the city with the introduction of this much needed improvement. The residents here are generally heavy tax payers and ought to be protected in their interests and accorded equal privileges with other citizens of the city. The lack of water privileges deters many wealthy gentlemen from purchasing land for the purpose of locating here."

MR. W. R. DUPEE.

"The policy of the city in regard to this high service question is very short sighted, would not invest \$5 in land here under the present condition of affairs. The

residents have every reason to complain of the neglect of this section of the city. Nearly ten years ago, I advocated the annexation of Chestnut Hill to Brookline because Newton apparently took no interest in our wishes regarding actual necessities. At that time, the neighborhood in which I resided paid taxes amounting to \$10,000 per annum and at the present time pay probably double that sum. The responsibility for the neglect so far as the high service is concerned rests, I think, with the water board. The people here are obliged to pay just as much for the use of water and an equal tax rate with citizens enjoying far greater privileges. This is surely unjust and an unequal assessment for benefits received. The people don't care so much about the amount of taxes they pay, provided that they get value received for their money. The necessary money for the introduction of the high service system could be easily borrowed and the outlay would come back eventually to the city, for taxable property would be increased."

Messrs. R. H. White, George C. Lee and H. G. Tucker were seen by the GRAPHIC reporter and these gentlemen emphasized the statements already given.

Numerous other residents of Chestnut Hill were interviewed by the GRAPHIC representative, all of whom desired the speedy introduction of high water service and complained of the delay which, to them appeared unnecessary and not calculated to advance the best interests of the city.

## HIGH SCHOOL ROSTER.

The roster for the high school battalion has been made up and is given below. The battalion of the present school year is the largest in the school history and it will parade with four companies, 16 files solid and over in each company. A number of students who have left school were recommended for positions on the commissioned and non-commissioned staff. Others who were thought worthy of promotion were R. H. Mendell, class of '90, recommended for quartermaster; M. C. Williams, '91, recommended for a sergeant; P. R. Spaulding, '92, recommended for a corporality. Appended is the complete roster:

A. L. Patrick, major; P. B. Chase, adjutant; F. W. Grigg, quartermaster; W. G. Bancroft, sergeant-major; J. G. Holmes, drum-sergeant; G. H. Burgess and E. R. Brackett, markers. Co. A—

E. C. Allen, captain; C. C. Morton, lieutenant; Samuel Tyler, 1st sergeant; H. Young 2d sergeant; A. P. Carter, 3d sergeant; H. R. Coffin, 4th sergeant. Co. B—

R. H. Ballou, captain; W. D. Rising, lieutenant; A. W. Tarbell, 1st sergeant; Howard Whitmore, 2d sergeant; E. G. Blaisdell, 3d sergeant; E. R. Crane, 4th sergeant. Co. C—

H. L. Fulton, captain; C. E. S. Bangs, lieutenant; Allen, 1st sergeant; Edward Page, Jr., 2d sergeant; F. C. Moore, 3d sergeant; P. F. Murphy, 4th sergeant. Co. D—

R. K. Sheppard, captain; W. O. Evans, lieutenant; W. D. Goddard, 1st sergeant; Green, 2d sergeant; G. H. Safford, 3d sergeant; Sumner Clement, 4th sergeant.

The corporals are: Holmes Whitmore, Thomas Weston, 3d. E. H. Huxley, E. C. Fisher, C. A. Banerch, G. Tourtelot, G. V. Phipps, S. F. Hatch, F. S. Ashenden, R. C. Thomas, H. F. Crafts, W. S. Soule, H. M. Stoenemisz, H. A. Stone, L. N. Whitney, G. N. Putnam.

## Fruit and Flowers.

The annual exhibition of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society was held from Tuesday till Friday evening of this week. On the whole, the show was very fine. Among the displays to be seen was a fine collection of native asters from J. F. C. Hyde, pompon dahlias from one or two places, but all exceedingly handsome. The greenhouse plants were simply elegant, all showing great care, good taste and skilful management. The ferns were simply grand, and lovers of this class of plants would appreciate all they could see of the display.

The display of orchids was not good, although orchid blooms are rare at this season. The fruit display was exceptionally fine, and although this season is a tough one for everything, men included, yet some of the pears, such as Sheldon, Seckle, Dana's Hovey, etc., were fine, and apples such as Gravenstein and R. I. Greenings, Russett, etc., pleased the eye as well as they would the palate.

The foreign grapes as a collection were poor, but among them was a bunch of Black Hamburg, weighing 7 lbs. 2 oz., and a bunch of Trebbiano weighing 9 lbs. 8 oz.

The aim of this society is to encourage the love for horticulture, to instruct in regard to the growing of plants, and the proper choosing of varieties. The society has among its members, active and honorary, many men and women, who are identified with horticulture, and the progress it has made in the past few years. Its library is extensive, embracing costly books as well as many out of print and invaluable. Newton plays an important part in this society, as it has furnished presidents and other officers, and some of its most successful and energetic members hail from the Garden City.

## Newton Cottage Hospital.

The quarterly meeting of the trustees was held at the hospital on Monday afternoon, Sept. 16th. Twelve

## CITY GOVERNMENT.

H. C. DANIELS ELECTED OVERSEER OF THE POOR.—THE STREET RAILWAY HEARING.

Both branches of the city government were in session Monday evening. In the board of aldermen Mayor Burr presided and all the members were present except Alderman Chadwick.

The list of ward officers was laid over till the next meeting, to be completed. Alderman Johnson reported from the street lamp committee favorably on petition of Rev. M. Dolan for street lamps on Adams street and of residents for electric lamps on South street.

Alderman Johnson read petition of John Joyce for license to build an addition 40 by 18, to barn on Thornton street, to be used for a shed.

A. F. Ireland and others asked for four street lamps on Ward street.

F. W. Greene and 15 others asked for sidewalk on Mt. Vernon street, to connect Wards 2 and 3.

C. E. Stevens asked for an electric light on Freeman street.

A communication was received from the common council giving notice of the vacancy in that body from Ward 7.

Samuel Hano was granted a license to build an addition to barn 10 by 33 feet on Summit street, to be used for private stable.

The resolution adopted by the common council, that all land purchased by the city for public playgrounds should be forever kept for such purposes, brought out an able speech from Alderman Pettie, who said that the resolution was probably offered in good faith but it had no binding effect, and he thought the gentlemen in Ward 6 who had so generously contributed money, and those who had sold property at less than the market price, ought to have something to say. Their wishes were worthy of some consideration, and if they wished to lay out a driveway for bicycle riding or for equestrians around the lot, and have some landscape gardening inside of it, in addition to the playgrounds, they should have perfect liberty to do so. They were to give some \$26,000 worth of land to the city for \$10,000, and this entitled them to say what they wished to have done.

Notification of intention to build house on new street leading from Lincoln street, Newton Highlands, 25 by 50 feet, was received from A. W. Beal. Mrs. Sarah Curtis gave notice of intention to build two houses on Otis street.

Chas. E. Thwing gave notice that he had been injured by loose stones, carelessly left on the sidewalk by the city and asking payment of damages for injuries received; referred to claims committee.

Three street lamps were asked for on Boylston street, between Parker and Dudley streets. Chas. Pond and others asked for street lamp on Lenox street; referred to lamp committee.

S. L. Powers, attorney, gave notice that Horatio Carter considered himself damaged by the failure of the city to carry out the contract made Sept. 20, 1888, in regard to laying out and grading of Mt. Vernon street, and that he made a claim for the payment of damages; referred to claims committee.

## OVERSEERS OF POOR.

Alderman Hamblen reported from the special committee appointed to fill vacancy on the board of overseers of the poor, that they recommended the election of Henry C. Daniels of Ward 7. The report was accepted and in joint convention Mr. Daniels was unanimously elected.

## RESIGNATIONS.

Alderman Tolman presented his resignation as a member of the board of health, and Alderman Hamblen was appointed to fill the vacancy.

Mayor Burr read a communication from ex-Alderman E. H. Mason, of Ward 6, resigning his position as member of the committee on revising the city ordinances, on account of ill health and the great pressure of other business.

Mayor Burr stated that he regretted very much that Mr. Mason was unable to continue on this work, as he was a very valuable member of the committee, and his advice was of great service. He appointed Hon. Wm. B. Fowle to fill the vacancy, and the appointment was confirmed.

## SPECIAL ELECTION.

Alderman Pettie read an order appointing Monday, Sept. 30th, as the time for a special election for councilman from Ward 7.

## STREET RAILWAY HEARING.

A remonstrance signed by G. A. Leonard and some 30 other abutters on Washington street, along the proposed line of the Newton Street Railway, was read and the hearing was opened. They represented that it would be a serious injury and inconvenience to them to have the railway tracks on the side of the street, in front of their premises, and asked to have the tracks kept in the centre of the street.

No remonstrance was made against the location of the tracks on Crafts street.

President Geo. W. Morse of the railway company asked to have the remonstrants give their testimony, that he might know what objections, if any, were to be combated.

Mr. Henry F. Ross said that the running of the railroad in such a narrow street as Washington street would be an injury to property, especially if the tracks were put on the side of the street. The tracks should be placed where the least damage would be done to property, which was in the centre of the street. Along part of the route were shops and stores, and the tracks right on the sidewalks would be a great nuisance. They might be run on the side of the street which ran next to the Boston & Albany railroad, but wherever there were house lots they should be in the middle of the street.

Dr. Crockett said that he had all the experience he wanted of a railroad running in front of his door, so that it was impossible for teams to stop there. The sidewalks were pretty well filled up now with telegraph and electric light poles, and the residents on the south side of the street did not care for all the inconveniences that could be put in the street.

Mr. Chas. W. Beals of Newtonville said he was one of the abutters, and the tracks next to the sidewalk would be such a serious injury to him that it would damage his property to the amount of a thousand dollars. There were \$200,000 of taxable property repre-

sented on the petition, and their wishes should be entitled to some consideration.

Mr. Morse said that Mr. Beals had 103 feet of frontage, which gave plenty of room for a driveway, and if he would take even \$500 off from a fair valuation of his house he would buy it himself.

Mr. N. T. Allen said the street railway had been a great inconvenience to his school for many years, and he thought it would be an injury to all the property on that side of the street. He thought the tracks should go in the middle of the street.

Mr. Jordan said the tracks on the side would seriously damage his property, especially if he put a store on it, as he might some day.

Mr. J. H. Horrigan said he did not want the tracks to shut off all the houses that had a stop in front of his house, and make them go on the other side of the street. It would be a serious inconvenience and a damage to property.

Mr. Stanley said the tracks would force his family to do all their business with the teams that stopped in the middle of the street. The property owners ought to be protected.

Mr. Ross said he owned the Tremont Hall property in Ward 2, and the tracks on the side of the street would be a serious damage to the stores there, and take 25 per cent. from the value of his property. He owned two houses on the street and it would damage them.

Mr. Hodgson said he was building a harness shop on the street, and many teams had to stop there, which would be seriously inconvenienced by the track.

General Leonard said he had had the railway in front of his house ever since the Waltham road was built and it had ever been a serious damage and inconvenience to him, preventing his selling the property. He had 180 feet front opposite City Hall, and had just lost a chance of selling a lot on account of the railway. Why not put it in the City Hall side if it was such a good thing to have.

Mr. Morse then spoke for the railway, claiming that on the side of the street there would be much less danger of accidents, as in the centre of the street, it would take a good driver to avoid an accident. The road was waiting to begin work, and he hoped all the questions would be settled at this meeting. The placing of tracks on the side of the street marked the education of the people. Two or three years ago there would have been at least a thousand remonstrants, but now there were less than forty. People were beginning to know more about street railways and objections vanished. Many cities were changing and putting their railroads on the side of the street, and they wanted to put the tracks where they would stay. There was practically no objection to the location of the tracks in Newtonville square, and there it might be best to have the tracks in the centre of the street. They had canvassed the route from the Waltham line to Centre street, and found 101 houses, two on Lexington street, 10 on River, 8 on Elm, and 1 on Washington street. They had just 17 hitching posts on this whole line on that side of the street, 31 of the 101 houses had private driveways, so that teams could drive in. The company would assume the expense of moving these 17 posts to the other side of the street. If a horse was hitched on the side of the street, it would take a very careful driver to get between that carriage and the car if the tracks were in the centre of the street. A careless or unskillful driver would be always in danger, and he thought the people would prefer to go to the other side of the street. The aldermen should take a very careful driver to get between that carriage and the car if the tracks were in the centre of the street. The thousands who drove over the street ought to be considered rather than the one who hitched his horse on that side of the street. The road from Kingston to Plymouth had just been built on the side of the street. The aldermen should consider the interests of the general public.

There would also only be needed one row of posts to support the wire for the cars, if the tracks were placed on the side, and the streets would be less encumbered. The prejudice against tracks on the side of the street was a bugbear of the shallowest kind.

Alderman Childs asked about the limbs of trees that would have to be sacrificed if the tracks were put on the side. Mr. Morse said only few limbs would have to be cut down, and that would be an improvement. He had several letters from prominent street railway builders, who all said that tracks should be on the side of the street.

In response to Alderman Tolman, Mr. Morse said that the cost of construction would be less, if the tracks were on the side, the rapid transit of cars would not be so liable to be interfered with and the tracks would not be so liable to be damaged by heavy teams.

Alderman Pettie asked if he had any other reason to present why tracks should be on the side, and if this was not the opening wedge to have all the railway tracks in the city put on the side of the street.

Mr. Morse said that there was no danger that any one city government of Newton would follow the example of another. Only a small remonstrance had been presented.

Mr. Beals said that if he had been well he would have got a bushel of remonstrances; as it was the remonstrance was all gotten up by a lady.

Alderman Tolman asked if it would not save the use of chairs, if the tracks were put on the side, and the filling would only have to be a few inches in front of the tracks, and the lighter rail could be used. He asked if this was not the reason Mr. Morse made the request.

Mr. Morse said of course the company looked out for the cost, and the aldermen should consider the interests of the railway company as well as that of the abutters.

Alderman Childs asked how many of the abutters on Centre street, for instance, would be willing to have the tracks on the side of the street. He thought they would all object.

Mr. Morse said it would take a quarter of a million to build the road, \$200,000 of the stock had been paid in, and he was going to push the road through if he did not get back one dollar; at the same time he had to look out for the interests of the stockholders, and he expected the road would pay. He hoped the board would not saddle them with any more requirements than were absolutely necessary.

After rather desultory firing between Mr. Morse and the remonstrants, the hearing was closed and the board took a recess.

Upon reassembling an order offered by Alderman Pettie was adopted, rescinding the order of July 1, 1889, providing an appropriation for the building of a cellar in the Clafin school grounds, and the removal of the old buildings at an expense not to exceed \$2,500; also to contract for the erection of a 6-room brick building for school purposes, at a cost not to exceed \$32,000, payment for the same to be provided by the issue of

school notes. The order was referred to the committee on finance.

Alderman Pettie hoped that the finance committee would report at the next regular meeting of the board. The order was approaching rapidly and the season would be far advanced before ground could be broken for the new school house. By vote of the board the finance committee was requested to report at the meeting, Sept. 30.

On motion of Alderman Childs it was voted that when the board adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening next.

An order offered by Alderman Tolman was adopted, rescinding the order appropriating \$10,000 for the part purchase of land at Newton Centre for a park and playground. In support of the order, Alderman Tolman alluded to the large and unexpected appropriation recently made by the city council, and said that it was not deemed wise to add \$10,000 more to the list, but rather to provide for the city's share in the Newton Centre park by a loan.

An order adopted, appropriating \$10,000 as a contribution towards the purchase of a tract of land in Newton Centre for a park and playground, provided an equal amount was given by citizens, said sum to be provided for by a note payable in October, 1890, with interest not exceeding 4 per cent. per annum. This order was passed a ye and nay vote, 6 voting in the affirmative and one absent.

An order offered by Alderman Tolman was adopted, appropriating \$30,850 for expenses for month of October.

An order offered by Alderman Johnson was adopted, authorizing the committee on fuel and street lights to restore a gas light on Adams street, agreeable to the petition of Rev. Dr. Dolan, and to place 2 additional electric lights on South street, the expense of the same to be charged to the appropriation for fuel and street lights.

Alderman Childs offered the following resolutions:

Resolved, That in the opinion of this board no change in location already granted the Newton Street Railway company should be made, whereby said company may run its tracks on the side of street or streets in this city, adjacent to dwelling houses, stores or lots which are suitable for building purposes.

Discussion followed the presentation of the resolve, the debate being opened by Alderman Pettie. The chief idea of the Newton Street Railway company, said the speaker, seems to be to run its road to make the most money with apparently little interest in the comfort or privileges of the average citizen. If this company cannot introduce their tracks in the middle of the street, what do they come before this board for? It has told the city that it seems to what it would do and clearly defined the conditions. But a new president is elected and he comes before us with another scheme; in fact he tells us what sort of a road the company ought to build and where, and insists that this board should accede to the requests of the company. The company, and yet the company pays nothing for the franchise. The gentlemen living upon the streets certainly have some privileges and their objections to the side location certainly deserve our careful consideration. Mr. Morse tells us that it is logical to build upon the side of the street, and if the argument of the learned counsel meant anything, it was that this board has made a mistake in granting any location or privilege to the railroad company. Cars running along the side of streets, adjacent to dwellings would be a great local discomfort, and the scheme it seemed to me that my vote to build its road at the least possible cost.

Alderman Johnson said that he did not agree with the alderman from Ward 5. He could see a great many advantages resulting from locating the tracks on the side rather than in the middle of streets, especially in the narrow roadways. In a narrow street, with the tracks on the side, there would be a broader space for carriages and less damage from accident. I certainly respect the opinions of petitioners who appear here in remonstrance, but it seems to me that my vote in this matter should be recorded for that which I believe to be for the best interests of the whole people.

Alderman Hamblen said that in his opinion there would be less danger of accident if the tracks were located on the side of the street, and that the city is certainly worthy of our careful consideration.

The resolution was finally adopted by a vote of 4 to 2.

An order was adopted, providing an appropriation of \$50 for the use of the city clerk in getting out printed instructions to be sent to the election officers. At 10.50 o'clock the board adjourned.

## Common Council.

In the common council President Bond presided. The business was of a concurrent nature. President Bond appointed Councilman Hyde on the joint special committee on sewerage and Councilman Collins on committees of fuel and street lights, rules and orders and ordinances, to fill vacancies caused by the resignation of Mr. Frank J. Hale.

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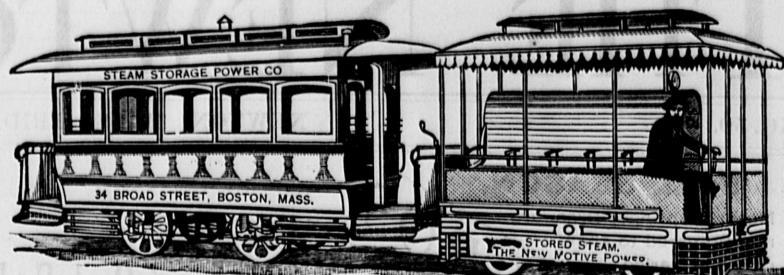
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## THE LAST LEGISLATURE.

The appeal to the people by the Nationalists has caused so much discussion that in response to numerous requests we give it entire in another column. It is a very plain-spoken document, and many people think it is not very far out of the way in its description of the last Legislature. The Boston & Albany railroad bill, which made such a handsome present to the stockholders of that road, might have been a very proper bill to pass, but the Milford Journal, for instance, one of the most influential Republican papers in the state, says that "no member who voted for the Boston & Albany stock-watering job last session, should be returned to the next legislature."

There has been a good deal of feeling on the subject among the people, and this has given point to the appeal of the Nationalists, as has also the public dinner held by the "Third house" at the close of the last session, when boasts were made of the ease with which all their schemes were worked through the legislature.

We print in another column a communication from a valued subscriber, which would have had more weight if he had signed his name. Perhaps the public dinner of the lobbyists will show the writer the difference between the last legislature and former ones, and to-day's politics and those of former days, more plainly than anything which could be cited. But if not, let him look at the political leaders of to-day, such as Quay, Dudley, Gorman Governor Hill of New York, Tom Platt, Mahone, Voorhees, and the rest and compare them with Lincoln, Seward, Chase, Sumner, Webster, and the leaders of former days. Or, compare the last speaker of our general assembly with the Adamases, or even the speakers of a few years ago. There are, no doubt, just as good men to-day as ever in the history of the country, but the trouble is they are not in political life, or if they are, they are not at the front. There were just as good men in the last legislature, no doubt, as there ever sent there, among them being the two representatives from Newton, but the trouble was they were not elected to the speakership and could not control legislation.

It is for this reason, to show that it is still possible for the best man to be chosen, that we have advocated the nomination of Mr. Crapo, who is the equal of any of our past governors. There is no question of his high character, of his uprightness, or of his freedom from the "state house ring" or any other entangling alliances. He may be rich, but Mr. Brackett is not poor, and his followers have evidently so far found no lack of means to carry on their very active campaign. If, as our correspondent asserts, the "lobby" is not working for Mr. Brackett, then there is a most mistaken impression abroad, but we should like to ask him on which side are the professional politicians, the men who are in politics for what they can make out of it? Our correspondent has a wide circle of acquaintances and we think he would find the great majority of such persons among the supporters of Mr. Brackett, though of course here in Newton we have no professional politicians nor lobbyists, and we all are looking only for the best interests of the state, although we may take widely different views of how "the highest possibilities of pure politics" can be gained.

## THE CAUCUSES.

The result of the caucuses last Saturday evening was not a surprise, although better things were hoped for. Take the case of Ward One, for instance, where there were only 21 voters present, and the vote stood 11 to 10 for Brackett; twenty-one Republicans out of some 300 in the ward. This is not a victory that anyone can get much satisfaction out of, although of course it was a victory for Brackett. In Ward Seven, where a half dozen of the most active of our city politicians live, who are all for Brackett, there was a larger attendance, and the vote stood 38 to 18—Fifty-six voters out of a total of 311 Republicans who cast their votes last November. If there had been any workers on the other side, a different result could easily have been reached; but when Republicans will not take the trouble to attend the caucuses, they cannot complain if a few politically ambitious men run things to suit themselves.

In Ward Two there was a larger attendance and the sentiment was strongly for Brackett, and one can respect the opinion of so large a caucus as is usually

held in that ward. In Ward three the attendance was light, in Ward Four there was a larger caucus and a strong Crapo sentiment; Ward Five had a large caucus for Brackett and Ward Six had 43 voters out and stood 27 to 16 for Crapo, Ward Six being strongly in favor of the New Bedford statesman. The net result gave Brackett 12 delegates and Crapo 5.

If the voters had turned out in any numbers, if there had been fifty per cent of the Republican voters of the city in attendance, the result would have given some indication of the sentiment of Newton. As it is we only know how some 10 or 15 per cent of the Republicans of Newton feel and the remainder, it may justly be inferred, don't care who is nominated.

If voters will not attend the caucuses they can not reasonably find fault with the nominations, no matter what their character may be, and it is certainly a matter for congratulation that in spite of the almost universal apathy of Newton people, the delegates Newton sends are usually quite satisfactory in character and ability. Those who do attend evidently feel it a solemn duty to make as wise selections as circumstances will allow.

Insurance Commissioner Merrill would be such a great improvement upon Pension Commissioner Tanner, that one wonders why President Harrison did not choose Mr. Merrill in the first place. It is easy to understand, however, the reluctance of Mr. Merrill, or any man having a comfortable position, to accept the pension commissionership. It is a very difficult position, and the occupant is certain to receive a good deal of harsh criticism. In this connection it is interesting to note Mr. Merrill's position on the pension question. He says: "For eight years I have been chairman of the national committee on pensions of the Grand Army, and my views are well known to the soldiers as being in one sense conservative and in another radical. At this period, 25 years after the war, mere sentiment, if nothing else, dictates that those men who risked their lives for their country when it needed them, should now, if disabled by service in the army or any other cause, receive succor and reward from the government. In the almshouses of the United States there are today 20,000 soldiers. Is it right that these men should be permitted to remain paupers? No. It makes no difference whether they were disabled in the war, or by subsequent misfortune, or even by their own indiscretion. That is my radical view, but I do not believe that I, an able-bodied and fairly prosperous man, should receive a pension; and that is my conservative view." There would be no cases like that of Senator Manderson under Mr. Merrill.

The Boston Traveller's editorials sometimes have a humorous touch, although this is probably not intentional. On Monday, for instance, it said: "Newton goes for Brackett. Her Republicans remember Bishop." It did not add that Newton Centre, the home of Mr. Bishop, went for Crapo by a large majority, and the assumption that the three or four prominent politicians who worked up the Brackett sentiment in this city were actuated only by their "remembering Bishop" is certainly as amusing as the Traveller's assertion that it was the temperance voters of Newton who carried the caucuses for Brackett.

The Ballot Act League is sending out samples of the ballots to be used under the new law, which goes into effect at the next state election. With the explanations that are given, every man with intelligence enough to vote, can have no trouble, but what a revolution it will make. Voters will be apt to choose the best man irrespective of the party label attached, and the vote-buyer will never know whether he has received his goods or not. It is to be hoped that a similar law will soon be in force in every state in the Union.

The City Solicitor of Lynn has secured a writ from the supreme judicial court of Essex County, requiring the Counts Commissioners to appear and show cause why they have not established a County truant school, as the law requires. The Commissioners have certainly shown no undue haste in this matter, and it is a good thing to have them stirred up.

An excellent choice has been made in choosing Mr. Henry C. Daniels for Overseer of the Poor for Ward Seven. He knows every one in the Ward, is always at his office, and is in every way qualified for the duties of the position.

Hon. Levi C. Wade will represent the Ninth District on the committee on resolutions.

## The Newton Caucuses.

The delegates elected at the caucuses last Saturday evening are as follows: Ward One. State, C. Bowditch Coffin, Dr. J. F. Frisbie; councillor, F.W. Stone, Dr. E. P. Seales; senatorial, E. H. J. Estabrooks, W. W. Wood; county, S. W. Tucker, J. C. Smith. The vote for state delegates was very close, there being 10 votes cast for Crapo delegates and 11 for the Brackett delegates.

Ward Two. State, W. S. Slocum, G. F. Churchill, R. C. Bridgman; councillor, Charles E. Adams, B. S. Grant, N. Henry Chadwick; senatorial, H. B. Hackett, Dr. O. E. Hunt, E. S. Strout; county, E. H. Peirce, H. F. Ross, E. W. Bailey. Ward Three. State, E. W. Wood, James T. Allen; councillor, V.E. Carpenter, E. B. Wilson; senatorial, George H. Ingraham, Charles R. Fisher; county, W. E. Sheldon, A. F. Luke.

Ward Four. State, George M. Fiske, N. W. Farley; senatorial, E. L. Pickard, E. Moody; councillor, Allen Jordan, C. H. Sprague; county, W. B. Atherton, F. L. Kautler.

Ward Five. State, Hon. Levi C. Wade, Willard Marcy; councillor, Stephen Keyes, George May; senatorial, E. J. Hyde, J.

F. Heckman; county, Otis Pettee, A. S. Dennison. Ward Six. State, Hon. James F. C. Hyde, Hon. H. M. Barr, Hon. Alden Spence; councillor, A. L. Rand, E. T. Colburn, W. M. Flanders; senatorial, A. C. Walworth, J. H. Sanborn, E. H. Mason; county, R. H. Gardner, H. D. Degen, George H. Ellis. Ward Seven. State, G. D. Gilman, N. P. Coburn, S. L. Powers; councillor, W. C. Bates, L.P. Bowers, Francis Murdoch; county, George C. Travis, James W. French, Samuel Farquhar; senatorial, John B. Goodrich, J. N. Bacon, Thomas Weston.

## Grand Concert.

On Monday evening, Sept. 30th, the celebrated Ludwig Concert Company will make their second appearance in Newton at Eliot Hall, and give one of their enjoyable concerts of Irish Songs, Scotch Ballads and Operatic Selections. Tickets are on sale at Hubbard and Proctor's. See advertisement.

## Remember the Flower Mission.

Grapes and pears are very acceptable. As the season draws to a close, let us increase our contributions of flowers and fruit, and make our summer's work a great success.

LOUISE JACKSON SMALLWOOD.

## MARRIED.

VAHERG—HARRINGTON—At Newton, Sept. 16, by Rev. M. Dolan, John Vaherg of Water-ton and Nora Harrington of Newton. COLBY—RILEY—At West Newton, Sept. 16, by Rev. Henry J. Patrick, Walter Lincoln Colby and Susan Riley, both of West Newton. MCGUIRE—TOOMEY—At Newton, Sept. 17, by Rev. M. Dolan, John Henry McGuire and Margaret Toomey, both of Newton. WALKER—CALHAN—At Newton Upper Falls, Sept. 17, by Rev. J. M. Gallagher, Jerome Walker and Hannah Calhan, both of Newton.

## DIED.

LAWN—At Newton, Sept. 12, Margaret Lawn, aged 3 years. WARDWELL—At Newton Centre, Sept. 15, William Theodore Wardwell, aged 45 yrs., 4 mos., 28 days. FLEMING—At Newton Highlands, Sept. 16, Edwin Fleming, aged 68 years, 2 months, 12 days. SULLIVAN—At Newton, Sept. 16, Catherine A. Sullivan, aged 29 years.

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## BUSINESS NOTICES.

TO LET—A very desirable square room, all modern improvements, with board, in private family, three minutes' walk from depot. Address P. O. Box 470, Newtonville. 503  
WANTED—A girl who lives at home to come a term to take care of baby. Apply before 11 a. m. to Mrs. AVERY, Perkins St., West Newton. 501

ROOM TO LET—On first floor, one minute from station; gentlemen; references. Miss S. H., corner Centre Street and Centre Place, Newton, Mass. 491

PLEASANT, SUNNY ROOMS CAN BE SECURED for the winter, at Mrs. FRANKLAND's corner Centre and Hollis Sts.; six o'clock dinners. 502

TO LET—Desirable tenement of three rooms, on lower floor on Columbus St. Apply to or address E. H. GREENWOOD, Newton Highlands. 502

WANTED, AT ONCE—Crocketers on fine work. Apply at 25 Park St. 492

WANTED—A gentleman and wife can be accommodated with pleasant sunny room and board in a small private family. Apply to 223 Church street, Newton. 491

WANTED—Any person having a good second hand horse, weighing about 1000 lbs., which they wish to sell cheap, can find a purchaser by addressing "Horse," Newton P. O. 491

WANTED—Any one having a good second hand furniture for sale cheap, may find a customer by calling on WM. L. STILES, Jr., near P. O. Block. 49

BOARD WANTED—A gentleman and wife desire board in one of the Newtons. Situation must be high and accommodations first class in every respect. A permanent place is desired where the comfort of a home can be enjoyed. Private family preferred. Address J. R., Box 55, Boston, Mass. 46-21

FOR SALE—One extra family cow. Young new milch. Apply to F. N. Woodward, Newton Upper Falls. 49-21

TO LET—In Newton, House with modern ideas, ten pleasant rooms. A delightful home where all trials can be cast forgotten, 9000 feet of land, some fruit, nest stable, 10 minutes from Boston & Albany R. R. Station at Newton. Enquire of HENRY FULLER, 261 Centre St., Ward 7, Newton. 48

TO LET—In Auburndale—A desirable tenement at moderate rent. Apply to J. W. DAVIS. 493

TO LET—Lower part of a house, five rooms and bath room. No. 20 Walden St. Apply at house from 8 ven to eight o'clock P. M. 48-1

TO LET—One-half house, 7 rooms, Townbridge court; \$18; convenient to station, stores, schools, etc. ADAMS, Townbridge & Co., Eliot Block. 48

WANTED—Second hand furniture, any par-ticulars having second hand furniture, carpets etc., that they would like to dispose of, can find a purchaser by applying to John Flood, Nonantum Block, or at his home, cor. of Centre and Pearl streets, Newton. Telephone 62-3. 31-1

TO LET—House of 8 rooms, Webster Park. Nice, sunny home, cemented cellar and furnace. Apply to Robert Bennett, Station Agent, West Newton. 21-1

TO LET—On Thornton, formerly School St., corner of French roof dwelling, 10 rooms has bath room. All the modern conveniences. Early possession. Moderate rent. Apply to G. W. Crosby, 8 Eldredge Street. 20-1

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## Ward Seven Caucus.

The Republicans of Ward Seven are requested to meet in Caucus,

Thursday Evening, Sept. 26,

In Eliot Lower Hall, Ward 7, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Councilman, to be voted for September 30th, to fill vacancy.

Per order of

WARD SEVEN REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

## City of Newton.

To CHARLES F. RICHARDSON, City Marshal, or one of the Constables of the City of Newton, GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to warn the citizens of WARD NO. SEVEN, qualified to vote as the law directs, to assemble at

NONANTUM HALL,

IN SAID WARD,

On Monday, the 30th day of September, instant,

at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and from that time until two o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to give in their ballots for one Common Councilman for said Ward, who shall be resident therein, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Ephraim S. Hamblen, elected alderman.

The polls will be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and closed at two o'clock in the afternoon, on the day aforesaid.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant, by posting attested copies thereof in not less than four public places in said Ward, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting, and publishing the same in the Newton Journal and Newton Graphic.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Ward of said Ward, on or before the thirtieth day of September, instant.

Witness, HEMAN M. BURR, Mayor of said City of Newton, on this

sixteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty nine.

HEMAN M. BURR, Mayor.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen, ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, City Clerk.

A true copy, Attest, CHARLES F. RICHARDSON, City Marshal.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

CITY OF NEWTON, September 20, 1889.

In pursuance of the foregoing Warrant, hereby warn the citizens of Ward 7, qualified to vote as the law directs, to assemble at the time and place, and for the purpose therein set forth.

CHARLES F. RICHARDSON, City Marshal.

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City of Newton.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen, ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, City Clerk.

SPECIAL ELECTION,

WARD 7,

Monday, September 30, 1889.

Registration of Voters.

Notice is hereby given to all persons in Ward 7 to present themselves for registration and that the Registrars of Voters will hold a session for the registration of voters and to correct and revise the Ward 7 list at Armory Lower Hall, on Saturday evening, September 21st, from 7.30 to 10 o'clock.

No names can be registered after 10 o'clock P. M. Sept. 21.

All persons in Ward 7 whose names are not on the voting list must appear personally before the Registrars of Voters on the day above mentioned, presenting a receipted tax bill of 1888 or 1889.

All naturalized citizens must present their final papers when they register.

If the father of an applicant was naturalized before he (the son) became 21 years of age, the son is naturalized thereby, and must present the father's naturalization papers.

The names of all persons not assessed in 1889 are taken from the voting lists, but such persons can be re-registered by applying in person to the Registrars at any session held for registering voters, and presenting a receipted tax bill for 1888, provided they are otherwise qualified.

Every male citizen of 21 years of age and upwards, who has resided in the State one year, and in the City of Newton since May 1st, 1889, and who has paid a State or County tax assessed upon him either in 1888 or 1889, and who shall be able to read and write, shall have the right to vote at the Ward 7 election to be held September 30th, 1889.

GEORGE E. BRIDGES, REGISTRAR, of City Hall, Newton, September 16, 1889. 501

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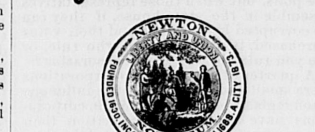
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## City of Newton.



Registrars of Voters, 1889.

Notice is hereby given to all persons to present themselves for registration and that the Registrars of Voters will hold sessions for the registration of voters and to correct and revise the Ward Lists, from 7.30 to 9 o'clock in the evening upon the following dates and at the places herein named:

At City Hall on Tuesday, October 1.  
Newton—Armory Hall, Wednesday, October 2.  
Newton Lower Falls—Boydell Hall, Saturday, October 6.

Nonantum Athenaeum, Wednesday, October 9.  
Newton Highlands—Stevens Hall, Saturday, October 12.

City Hall, Monday, October 14.  
Auburndale—Auburn Hall, Wednesday, October 16.

Newtonville—Tremont Hall, Saturday, October 19.

Newton Upper Falls—Old Prospect School-house, Tuesday, October 22.

Newton Centre—Associates' Hall, Pleasant street, Wednesday, October 23.

Also at City Hall from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 5 o'clock P. M., on Fridays, October 4, 11, 18 and 25, and on Saturday, October 26, from 2 to 5 o'clock and 7.30 to 10 o'clock P. M.

No names can be registered after 10 o'clock P. M., October 26.

All persons whose names are not on the Voting List must appear personally before the Registrars of Voters on either of the days above mentioned, presenting a receipted tax bill of 1888 or 1889.

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GEORGE E. BRIDGES, REGISTRAR, of City Hall, Newton, September 16, 1889. 50

GEORGE H. BOURNE, REGISTRAR, of City Hall, Newton, September 16, 1889. 50

ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, City Clerk.

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City of Newton.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen, ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, City Clerk.

SEPTEMBER 16, 1889.

The Polling Place for the Special Election Monday, Sept. 30, 1889, in Ward 7, is designated and appointed by the Board of Aldermen to be in Nonantum Hall, Washington street.

ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, City Clerk.

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Newton Horticultural Society.

## NEWTONVILLE.

—Mr. Samuel Tilton, Chesley place, is seriously ill.

—Mrs. Decatur, Otis street, is away on a two months' visit.

—Mrs. Briggs, Washington Park, is much improved in health.

—It is said that Tremont Hall is to be fitted up for lodge purposes.

—Mr. W. P. Upham and family returned from a visit to Salem, Tuesday.

—Miss Sarah Hill has returned from a pleasant trip to Brooklyn, N. Y.

—Ruggles Street Quartet and other talent at City Hall, Oct. 2. Fifty cents.

—The roster of the Newton High School Battalion will be found in another column.

—Miss Helen Lincoln, who has been visiting friends here, has returned to her home in Lincoln.

—Miss Abbie B. Bates is filling the position of assistant principal in the Wellesley High school.

—There was quite a large gathering at the clubhouse of the Newton club, Saturday evening.

—Will Fiske has returned from his trip to Sudbury Meadows, where he was camping out with friends.

—Ex-Gov. Claflin and family have removed to their winter residence on Mt. Vernon street, Boston.

—A. L. Gardner has returned from Montreal, where he has been engaged the past season as cornet soloist.

—Mr. A. B. Wyman, Bowers street, has given up housekeeping and will board with his family at Auburndale.

—Rev. George S. Butters exchanged pulpits with Rev. Mr. Knox, pastor of the Auburndale Methodist church, last Sunday.

—Ground has been broken for a new house on the lotting lot on Austin street. Messrs. Higgins & Nickerson have the contract.

—Mrs. A. H. Soden and family will return next week, probably from their cottage at Ft. Point, Stockton, Me. Mr. Charles Soden returned this week.

—Mr. Henry Williams and family removed from Rev. Mr. Worcester's house, Highland avenue, Sunday. Mr. Worcester and family returned today.

—Mr. A. L. Gordon is fitting up the Jones house on Walnut street, which he has recently purchased, and he will occupy it when completed for his permanent residence.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Chaloner are at Intervale, N. H., where Mr. Chaloner is hunting and fishing with some artist friends, under the supervision of the famous guide, Jack Davis.

—Postmaster Turner has returned from St. Johnsbury Centre, Vt., and has been warmly congratulated by his numerous Republican friends here over the result of the caucus for postmaster.

—Miss Minnie Page has returned from Ft. Point, Stockton, Me. She is the popular soprano of the quartet of the Methodist church and the regular musical services will probably be resumed Sunday.

—Charles Ward Post 62 visited Post 5, Lynn, last evening, agreeing to an invitation extended by the latter organization. The veterans had a delightful time and were most hospitably entertained.

—It was a difficult matter to find 3 men willing to stand up as candidates for Crapo at the caucus for Crapo, Saturday evening. The Brackett sentiment was very strong, so far as Ward 2 was concerned.

—By the recent grading and building of sidewalks on Cabot street at quite a distance above the surface of the highway, fears are entertained of the result in case of heavy rains, when the street will probably be filled with water.

—The State delegates from this ward are Messrs. W. S. Slocum, G. F. Churchill, R. C. Brigham, all for Brackett. The vote stood for Brackett, 45; Crapo, 15. The Crapo men were represented by Messrs. H. F. Ross, B. S. Grant and C. H. Cunningham.

—Mr. Alexander Chisholm was installed as Tyler of Dalhousie lodge for the twenty-first time, Wednesday evening, at the residence of C. A. Harwood, the installing officer, in his remarks, alluded to his long service in that position and said that it would be unnecessary to instruct him in the duties of his office.

—Mr. Frederick A. Ober, the gifted author and lecturer, will deliver a course of lectures in the Central Congregational church, Tuesday evening. The dates have been arranged for Oct. 1, 8, 15, and 22. The subjects of his course this year comprise Spain, Africa, Mexico, West Indies and ancient American cities.

—Messrs. Henry F. Ross, C. W. Beals, Charles Jordan and Edward W. Hodgson were among remonstrants who appeared at the hearing given the Newton Street Railway Company, before the aldermen, Monday evening, setting forth their objections to the plan of locating its tracks on the side rather than the centre of Washington street.

—Citizens of Newtonville, representative Republicans, want to know what a certain local paper meant by its statement that the caucus for postmaster was a small one, so far as the complement of Republicans was concerned. The number of Republicans present at the caucus who voted for Mr. Turner was 85, while only 35 attended the caucus for the choice of delegates to the state and other conventions.

—James Kelly and John Byrne, employed as laborers on the Valentine estate improvements, went into J. T. Hill's stable yesterday afternoon and took a banjo and three pairs of pants, the property of John Fells, from one of the sleeping rooms. In about ten minutes after the theft had been committed, Byrne and Kelly were arrested by Officers Bosworth and Clay and looked up at the central station. Both men had been drinking.

—Mr. E. Bradshaw has an article in the Grand Army Record concerning pensions. In it he says: "This fastening oneself like a barnacle on the ship of state because one saved it from wreck a certain time, reminds me of a story of a man who rescued another from drowning and utilized the rescue ever afterwards in begging sundry favors. I fought for my country because it was my country. In doing this I put myself above and out of the reach of money considerations, therefore Uncle Sam owes me nothing. Had I been crippled or disabled, I ought to be the ward of the government. Their's my sentiments and creed."

—At the annual assembly of Gethsemane Commandery, K. T., held in Masonic Hall, Tuesday evening, a visitation was received from Eminent Sir Edwin Wright, grand lecturer of the grand commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island. It was the 17th annual meeting of this commandery and the election of officers resulted as follows: George T. Coppins, E. C.; Rufus G. Brown, Genl.; Charles A. Peck, C. G.; John W. Fisher, prelate; George Broedren, S. W.; Dr. Albert Nott, J. W.; J. B. Fuller, treasurer; Asa C. Jewett, recorder. Other commanderies were represented at the meeting, visitors being present from Natick, Boston and other places. The financial report showed that the commandery was free from debt, with a healthy balance in the treasury.

—At a regular communication of Dalhousie lodge, F. and A. M., held in Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, three candidates

were initiated in the entered apprentice degree. At the conclusion of the work, the following elected officers for the ensuing term were installed by Worshipful Brother A. L. Harwood, assisted by Worshipful Brother W. A. Wetherbee: John W. Fisher, W. M.; Geo. W. Whitman, S. W.; Robert Bennett, J. W.; E. E. Morgan, secretary; G. W. Blodgett, chaplain; Elliot J. Hyde, marshal; C. W. Brown, J. D.; J. A. Gleason, S. D. The appointed officers of the lodge are: A. A. Kellogg, S. A.; F. Winslow, J. S.; H. E. Boothby, I. S.; Geo. H. Brown, organist; Alexander Chisholm, Tyler. At the conclusion of the ceremonies the masonic brethren adjourned to the banquet hall, where a collation was partaken of. Quite a number of visitors were present from other lodges. The music for the occasion was rendered by the Dalhousie quartet.

## WEST NEWTON.

—How about that gas lamp on Henshaw Place?

—Mr. H. C. Lockwood left here this week for Kansas City.

—Patrick Murphy is building a new dwelling house on North street.

—Ruggles Street Quartet and other talent at City Hall, Oct. 2. Fifty cents.

—Mrs. E. A. Paddock, River street, is recovering from a serious illness.

—James Devoy is building an addition to his dwelling house on Derby street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Perry have taken a jaunt to the Berkshire Hills.

—Mrs. Seth Davis, Watertown street, has returned from a visit to Zeale, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Meade have gone to Chicago and other places West for three weeks.

—A new horse shed is being built by the city in the rear of the Second Congregational church.

—Mr. Chandler Seaver, Jr., is attending the Seaver family reunion at Orange, N. H., this week.

—The State delegates from this ward are Messrs. E. W. Wood and James T. Allen, both for Brackett.

—Housekeepers after five years' trial say, "Tenney's Magic Glycerine Soap cannot be praised too much."

—Mr. Robert Bennett was installed as Junior Warden of Dalhousie lodge, F. & A. M., Wednesday evening.

—Mr. O. F. Lucas was bitten by G. T. Hill's dog last Friday, receiving wounds in the left hand and thigh.

—Mrs. J. C. and Mr. A. C. Norcross of New Orleans are the guests of Mr. S. S. Kilburn, Waltham street.

—Work has been commenced upon the exterior walls of the addition to the hotel block, Washington and Watertown streets.

—The house owned and at present occupied by C. M. Whitteley, Cherry street, has been rented by Mr. Brackett of Dorchester.

—The first regular meeting of the Congregational club for the winter season will be held on the third Monday evening in October.

—Mr. Henry J. Langley, Cherry street, has returned from a pleasant vacation trip to Washington, Baltimore and other places of interest.

—Workmen in the water department were called out Sunday by a leak in the water main on Washington street, near the Atkinson estate.

—Rev. Arthur Knapp was entertained by Mr. Henry F. King Wednesday evening, and a small circle of his old friends also invited to meet him.

—George Lane, Will Powell and Wilbur Fiske have returned from Sudbury Meadows, where they have been camping out near Sherman's bridge.

—While Mr. George H. Ellis was driving in a carriage on Elm street, Sunday evening, his horse fell down, breaking both shafts and damaging the harness.

—Henry H. Hunt has secured the contract for the woodwork of the new round house of the Boston & Albany Railroad company to be built at East Boston.

—Mr. Richard Rowe has rented Mr. Wm. E. Sheldon's house on Highland street until June 1st, 1890. Mr. Sheldon and family will remove to Boston for the winter.

—Mr. J. T. Allen has contributed \$20 toward the fund for St. Bernard's church. He wrote a very pleasant letter to Father O'Toole, expressing his best wishes for the future prosperity of the church.

—Mr. James F. Ellis, Waltham street, has returned. He left Baltimore on the steamer Chatham and had a delightful voyage home besides passing a very pleasant vacation.

—Thomas Dugan of this ward, who was arrested by Officer Ryan and turned over to the W. A. M. officers, was sentenced to 3 months in the house of correction, for throwing a stone through the window of Mr. Crain's house, near the Newton line.

—Charles H. Schira, accompanied by a companion, while driving down Washington street, Monday evening, in a light wagon, collided with a hitching post in front of the old hotel. Both men were thrown out and Schira received a pretty severe shaking up.

—The members of the Massachusetts Mutual Insurance Union, with invited guests, representing the mutual insurance companies of several states, will dine at the Woodland Park Hotel, this afternoon. After the material features the gentlemen present will take carriages and enjoy a delightful ride through the city.

—Mr. A. L. Barbour is a member of the committee of arrangements.

—Considerable excitement was occasioned in front of City Hall, West Newton, Monday evening, by the appearance of a mad dog. A number of canines were attacked and bitten, and a gentleman, it is said, received a slight bite on the leg. Patrolman Libby fired two shots at the dog, but the canine made his escape, the bullets failing to take effect. On the following day the dog turned up at Newton Lower Falls and was shot by Special Officer Seaver.

—Miss Susie M. Riley and Mr. Walter L. Colby were married Monday evening at the residence of the bride's parents on Lander street. Rev. Henry J. Patrick officiated, and the ceremony was attended only by the relatives and intimate friends.

—The bride was a member of the choir of the West Newton Congregational church, and a local singer of reputation. The groom for the past few seasons has successfully managed the Allen Pond swimming school. The couple will enjoy a brief wedding tour and upon their return will reside in Everett.

—Officer R. B. Conroy was much surprised by read last week that his house was entered by officers in search of spirituous liquors. It was of course a mistake, which somehow crept in on account of the absence of our regular West Newton correspondent. The police made no raids last week and Officer Conroy's house is certainly the last place they would think of entering for such purpose. Mr. Conroy, it is needless to say, is one of the most law-abiding citizens in the ward, and was appointed on the force by Mayor Burr, where he has given general satisfaction. He is now doing night duty at Newton, where the people find him very obliging and efficient.

—Katie Green and Mrs. Brown reside in the old German house on Washington street, which is at present fitted up for two tenements. Owing to it is said, to a difference in religious views of the two women, trouble has arisen between them, which culminated in quite a serious affair Tuesday afternoon.

After words had been exchanged relative to the use of a door, used in a similar manner to that of the door, threw a dish of hot water over Mrs. Brown's head, and then struck her over the head with a dipper, inflicting a cut about 1 1/2 inches long, from which the blood spouted in a copious stream. As an outcome of the affair, Mrs. Brown entered a complaint, and the case came up in the police court today.

—An enjoyable entertainment was given in Knights of Honor Hall, Monday evening, under the auspices of Great Central Commandery, U. O. G. C. The program proved interesting and enjoyable, and consisted of selections by a double quartet, composed of Newton Centre boys; recitation, Miss Edith Chadbourne, of Newton Centre; piano solos, Miss Eva Chadbourne and Miss Lizzie Mills; piano duet, Misses Eva Chadbourne and Lizzie Mills; banjo solo, Miss Anna Chadbourne; Melrose whistling duet, banjo accompaniment, Miss Anna Chadbourne and Mr. Bert Hatch; comical interlude, "The Human Melodion." The social features followed the entertainment. Similar entertainments will be given during the winter season.

## AUBURNDALE.

—Dr. Porter is having his house remodelled.

—Mr. Chas. Miner and family are away on their vacation.

—Mr. Joseph Davis of Auburn street is enlarging his stable.

—Mothers! don't spoil baby's flannels by using soap; use Magic.

—Ruggles Street Quartet and other talent at City Hall, Oct. 2. Fifty cents.

—Mr. Geo. R. Coffin and family have returned from a vacation in Central street.

—James Buckley has returned and has resumed his place on Woodland avenue.

—Mrs. W. G. Chamberlain has returned from a two week's vacation at Springfield, Mass.

—J. S. Williams of Hose Co. 4 is taking the place of Daniel Coffin, during his vacation.

—Twelve missionaries have gone from the Congregational church to different foreign fields.

—The marriage of Miss Harriet Bachelder and Mr. W. Franklin Spooner is announced for the 25th inst.

—Joseph Kimball of Hose 6 has had a narrow escape from an attack of typhoid fever and is slowly recovering.

—Daniel Chamberlain, assistant baggage master, and Mrs. Chamberlain, are receiving congratulations. It is a girl.

—Mr. Walter Dillingham of Honolulu is to spend the winter with his uncle, Mr. Isaac Dillingham, Woodland avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. James E. Keyes of Foxboro, Mass., have just returned from New York City, where they have been visiting Mr. E. W. Keyes.

—The addition recently built on to Bidwell's market is nearly completed, and it is expected that it will be ready to occupy next week. The whole building is receiving a new coat of paint.

—The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Methodist church is arranged for a concert to be given in City Hall, Oct. 6. The Ruggles street quartet and other artists will make a program which will be received with favor.

—The Burgess Institute for young ladies commenced its first year yesterday, with about twenty pupils. This is a new school, originated by Rev. I. P. Smith, who has had the Bird estate remodelled for this purpose.

—Lasell Seminary will open, Sept. 16th, and those who desire to enter any of the special classes will be interested in the announcement in another column. Exceptional advantages are offered to those who wish to take graduating courses or pursue a single line of work.

—The Woman's Board of Missions Auxiliary met at the Missionary Home, Hancock street, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Means introduced Mrs. Chandler, a returned missionary from India, who gave an interesting account of her work in that field for the past forty years.

—Daniel Cooney, driver of the hose carriage, is spending his two weeks' vacation at his home in Upper Falls. Mr. Cooney's vacation from an oil explosion occurred very inopportunistically, but it is hoped he may fully recover during his vacation.

—Miss Della T. Smith is building an addition to her house at Riverside, as her school is increasing so largely in numbers that more room is needed. The reputation of the Riverside school is second to none, and the thorough work done there gives great satisfaction to parents.

—Last Sunday evening Rev. J. T. Ise gave a sketch of his missionary work in Folkestone, England, and his object is to establish a church there and induce the students to accept the Christian religion.

—At the close of his address, a number of India with his wife rendered some of their native songs. Rev. Mr. Ise accompanying with a native instrument. The man is on his way to Hartford, where he wishes to perfect himself in music. A lady, who is wife goes to Philadelphia to study in the medical college.

—The second in the series of promenade concerts under the auspices of the Newton Boat club, was given in the clubhouse, Riverside, Saturday evening. Music was rendered by Robinson's orchestra of Waltham. The clubhouse grounds were illuminated with Japanese lanterns, and presented a very attractive appearance.

—The afternoon preceding the concert, a tennis tournament was held. Play opened in gentlemen's singles for a prize in the shape of a handsome silver medal. The final was between J. T. Ise and Howard C. Cobb 6-0, 6-1; Vose beat Arthur 6-0, 6-0. The finals will be played off next Saturday afternoon.

—The first meeting of the Woman's Board of Missions Auxiliary, for the season, was held at the Missionary Home on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Chandler of India spoke of the work there in which she had been engaged with her husband for forty years. At first there was great opposition, and it was very difficult to induce parents to allow their children to come to missionaries to be taught. The first children who came into their schools were clothed and fed, and the parents felt that rather than pay any fee for their education they should be paid for allowing them to be taught. Indeed, in the first years of the school, the children were paid to be taught to keep the daughters till they married, and give them a small dowry, in order to get the consent of the parents that any of their girls should be educated.

## Board of Health.

At 4.30 o'clock, Tuesday afternoon the board of health was called to order by Mayor Burr.

A petition from J. E. Briston of Gardner street to keep two pigs was laid aside for investigation.

A petition from W. H. Holbrook, called the attention of the board to a rubbish nuisance on Jefferson street. Agent French after investigating the condition of things there suggested an abatement.

Mr. N. F. Mye's complaint, of insulting language from a city employee was received.

The board has been allowed \$2,100 more for appropriations, by vote of the City Council.

Mr. Pettie, as committee on the Clinton street drainage matter, reported that the matter had been before the board for some time but not having had a quorum in ac-

tion could be taken on it. It had been referred to Mr. Pettie as a committee of one, and he recommended that it be acted in a similar manner to that of Knowles street, those persons benefited by it being assessed in proportion to their tax. As the petition was not considered strong enough, Mr. French had drawn up another petition with signers which was now in the hands of the board.

Mr. Moody Lower Falls being unable to longer house the carriage used by the board for mail-pox cases, it was voted to authorize the committee on public property to sell it.

A communication from D. S. Farnham of Newton Centre, expressed his willingness to comply with the action of the board.

A case of poor water in a house belonging to John Ward at Thompsonville, on Station street, was referred to Dr. Hudson for analysis. Mr. Pettie suggested that the houses in that vicinity, and the new school house be investigated.

Dr. Frisbie, committee on ambulance, reported that S. Ivers & Son of Cambridge, would make the one he recommended for from \$400 to \$450.

The Murray street petition was pronounced strong enough for action, by the City Solicitor and Agent French was directed to notify the petitioners.

Mr. Fuller, in speaking of the Murray street nuisance, said the real trouble was at the corner of Murray and Otis streets in the vicinity of J. T. Hill's livery stable, and suggested that it be examined by the agent. Mr. Pettie considered the 15 inch drain pipe used there, insufficient for the purpose.

The board voted on motion of Mr. Pettie, to visit Clinton and Murray streets at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, the meeting being notified of the place of meeting by Agent French.

On motion of Dr. Frisbie the board voted to adjourn.

## An Attractive Store.

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Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Sarah F. Fletcher and Francis Murdoch, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety of assets on their bond pursuant to said will and statute, You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of October next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the NEWTON GRAPHIC, printed at Newton, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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## A CITIZEN'S VIEWS

IN REGARD TO THE NATIONALIST APPEAL  
AND MR. BRACKETT.

To the Editor of the Graphic:

There has recently been issued through the press an address from the "Nationalist Club," ostensibly "to strengthen the Republican government of the United States," and the strongest kind of partisan politics against the very life of the Republican party.

Given, the necessity of parties in this constitutional form of government of ours, and it is very important that they be held up to the highest possibilities of pure politics that shall inure for the benefit of our whole people.

Neither of the great parties of to-day or those especially arrayed on moral issues, can claim to possess all the virtues within their ranks, and charge all that is vicious to the other side.

There are those who are ever looking backward and sighing for the good old days when there were giants in the land, where are now found only pigmies. That in former times politics were simpler, pure and no dark ways or means, whereas now-a-days corruption is the rule, revealing the common course of the matter of bargain and sale, with the saying "every man has his price."

Now, a moment's thoughtfulness must disprove this mean insinuation, born of doubt, distrust and skepticism. We believe that in these days in which we are living our national, state and community life, in the whole, is on a higher plane than ever before, that in the years, decades, that have passed there have been men who did their whole duty so far as possible. That in each stage of our national history men have been ready for the emergencies, in the darkest days of state, and that in these passing years—yes, in this year of our Lord 1889—there are men as patriotic, as unselfish, as truly disinterested and as honest in striving for the best interests of our Commonwealth, as there have been in any decade that has passed.

The change of the Nationalist Club that "the legislature of 1880 betrayed the people whose rights it swore to protect" and "invariably favored the demands of private and moneyed interests at the expense of the public," and was "the servant of a strong and powerful lobby"—is not only a studied insult to that body of men, but in almost every word a false and malicious attack on honorable men.

Mr. Editor, let our citizens, who have seen these charges in the papers, think over for a minute the men whom they have known as the chosen representatives, from our own city, and they will see that the charge is a "betrayal of the people?" If our representatives, and these we may know personally, are honest men, why not to a very large proportion at least those from other districts throughout the state?

I am assured by those competent to pass judgment that the legislature of '80 will compare favorably with its predecessors in average ability and fully in the integrity of its members.

It is a healthy sign in the body politic when the primary meetings are well attended, here is our greatest safe guard. If the citizen will only attend it, he will be present at these formative periods of our political life, all will be well in spite of the insinuation that the "lobby," the great bug-a-boo, even dictates and decides who and what shall be the men and measures.

It is well for our state that this year the people are generally awake and aroused and we are soon to learn whom that political party known as Republican will place forward as a standard bearer. Mr. Brackett and Mr. Crapo are both good men, either would make a good governor, one of them doubtless will be the next governor of our state.

It seems but fair and in justice to ask for space to deny here that the "lobby" is working for Mr. Brackett's nomination. This we believe untrue; the lobby, like other men, work for a consideration, and it is a well-known fact that Mr. Brackett or his friends have no large sum of money to spend in trying to "influence" his election. So far as money goes it is an admitted fact that Mr. Crapo is the fortunate possessor of a large fortune, while Mr. Brackett is comparatively a poor man and if merit and money shall dictate a choice it would seem to be in Mr. Brackett's favor, as he is not of that "vast moneyed power seeking to tax the public for their profit."

In the matter of the great question of temperance legislation one thing is sure beyond dispute. Whatever Mr. Crapo's principles may be, we know what Mr. Brackett has done. For the last three years he has been chairman of a Sabbath evening union meeting temperance service where no license was urged as a moral and religious duty.

Mr. Brackett was an active worker in that line, and voted as he preached. No license, and he was perhaps as instrumental in carrying Arlington as a No license town as any man in it. "By their fruits ye shall know them."

In reference to character in the legislature of '80. It should be a matter of pride that our representative from Ward 2, in his second year of service, was recognized as a safe, judicial leader, one in whom the House trusted for his honorable dealing and his manly integrity, he was but one of many. "Sans fear, Sans reproche."

## Newton Christian Alliance.

The Newton Branch of the "Christian Alliance" held its annual business meeting in Summer Hall on Monday evening, Sept. 9th.

The secretary reported a membership of about twenty-five, and a year of prosperity and blessing. Two weekly meetings have been held in Summer Hall, one on Wednesdays at 7.30, the other on Sundays at 5 p. m.

These have been seasons of great spiritual uplifting, not only to the members of the Alliance but to many others.

Several souls have been converted during the year, while others have come into "the fullness of the blessing of Christ." The treasurer was able to report all bills met and a small balance in the treasury.

The officers for the ensuing year: President, Mr. Clark W. Morehouse; vice-presidents, Mrs. A. Huntress, Mrs. E. F. Hyde, Mr. C. O. Lummis; secretary, Mrs. K. L. Stevenson; treasurer, Mrs. C. W. Morehouse; executive committee, Mr. J. H. Gilkey, Mrs. Geo. Edwards, Miss Mabel Kilbourne, Mr. William Hicks and Mr. John T. Lawrence.

The regular weekly meetings will continue to be held on Wednesday evenings and Sunday afternoons in the hall in Summer's block, where a cordial welcome will be extended to all. The Branch is believing for a year of more aggressive work and larger victory.

The Christian Alliance is not, in any sense, an ecclesiastical body but is a fraternal union of Christians of all denominations, who are united by their common belief in Christ as "Saviour, Sanctifier, Healer and Coming Lord." It dates its

existence as an organization but four years back, but its spread has been phenomenal, there being hardly a state or territory without local branches, while the work is spreading throughout Canada, and missionaries are already in India, China, Japan and Africa.

The work of the Alliance is very simple and markedly free from "red tape." It consists largely in the holding of meetings and conventions for the spread of the truth; in the distribution of literature, there being a Publishing House in N. Y. City at 602 8th Avenue whence issues the weekly paper "The Christian Alliance," and in the prayer and sympathy which each member is expected to give to all others.

The view of Christ's second coming, as held by the majority of the members, is what is called the Pre-Millennial View, though one may belong to the Alliance and still be a Post-Millennialist, that being considered of minor importance.

The teachings concerning Divine Healing are simple and scriptural, entirely free from the taint of Christian Science, but while Christ as the Healer of His people is held up as the glorious privilege of all God's children, it is made very secondary in importance to the necessity of taking Him as Saviour and Sanctifier. "Holiness unto the Lord" is made the watchword.

We are sure there is room for such an organization in Newton and we bespeak the prayers and sympathy of "all who love our Lord Jesus Christ in sincerity."

K. L. STEVENSON, Secretary.

## Literary Notes.

The publishers of St. Nicholas announce that that popular children's magazine is to be enlarged, beginning with the new volume, which opens with November, 1889, and that a new and clearer type will be adopted. Four important serial stories by four well-known American authors will be given during the coming year.

Mr. Frank R. Stockton has written a new and characteristic story called "The Merry Chatter." It will begin in the November Century and run through four numbers. The story takes its name from a vessel which started from Massachusetts port on a peculiar cruise.

The owners, a young married couple, are on board, and the vessel is commanded and manned by four village captains of unusual experience. Mr. Dana Gibson will illustrate it. The November Century is also to contain a new story by Mark Twain.

During the coming volume The Century is to have an illustrated series of articles on the French Salons of the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, including pen portraits of many of the leaders and a detailed account of the organization and composition of several historical salons. A great number of interesting portraits will be given with the series.

## The Newtonville Caucus.

(Springfield Republican.)  
Republicans of Newtonville held a caucus Saturday evening and endorsed the democratic postmaster for re-appointment, on the sound ground that he had attended strictly to business and greatly improved the local service. This is business-like and sensible, but some of the politicians are kicking. Will the administration heed them or the people? Clark will be ready enough to name some green republican unless he is overruled by a higher power.

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CHARLES H. HARDWICK, Mortgagee.  
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—Upper Falls sent several visitors to view the high surf of Nahant on Tuesday.

—Mrs. S. Gilley of Bar Harbor is visiting Mrs. Geo. Estabrook on Boylston street.

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—Mr. Wallace Fisher of Boylston street has gone to Bar Harbor to spend his vacation.

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—Col. H. H. Estabrook of the Boston Globe is writing a history of fire departments.

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—Mr. Alexander Murray, station agent, is ill and unable to attend to his duties, and Mr. Coughlan is taking his place.

—Mr. Nathan Conant of Columbia street, has given up his position in the Pettie Machine works and has secured a position in Boston.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Goff, who have been visiting Mr. Amos Hale and family, on Oak street, have returned to their home in Nebraska.

—Mrs. Abbot, who was so severely burned three years ago in Concord, N. H., is to be taken to the Newton Cottage Hospital for treatment.

—The Crandall Paper mills are turning out a new article in the shape of asbestos fire proof paper. Their staple products are carpet linings and manilla paper.

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—For some reason the are light at the post office square was not turned on, Tuesday night. Officer Leonard telephoned the fact to headquarters and Mr. Billings telephoned to the electric lighting station, requesting assurance that a man should be sent up to attend to it, but no man came. All the other lights burned as usual, but right where it was wanted most, no light appeared.

—The railroad station at Waban, for the second time in a fortnight, has been disastrously entered, but not much booty secured.

—Mr. G. B. King, who bought the Johnson house on Lake avenue, now occupies the same. Mr. Taft, the former occupant, has removed to Boston.

—Miss Olive Thompson will start for Amherst University on Thursday morning. She will engage in teaching in the university for colored students.

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—Miss Hurley, a dress maker from Upper Falls, has taken rooms at Mr. Thomas McKenzie's, next door to the bake shop, where she will carry on the dress making business.

—The first fall meeting of the Chataqua Club was with the president, Mrs. E. J. Hyde. Several papers were read by members, giving an account of their summer outing. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Bacall.

—The ladies of the Congregational Sewing Circle are planning a Harvest Supper for the first week in Oct. The committee are Mrs. Whittemore, Mrs. Brackett, Mrs. Moulton, Mrs. J. F. C. Hyde, Mrs. Gilbert and Mrs. Hayward.

—As the two hundred and twenty-fifth anniversary of the first church of Newton will shortly take place, it may be of interest to some to know that three of the windows in the former church building may be seen in the stable of Mr. Amasa Crafts.

—We hear that the lot of land on the corner of Walnut street and Hillside avenue and directly opposite the Walter Allen estate, which was purchased by Mr. C. H. Hale a few months since, has now been bought by Mr. T. P. Ritchie at an advanced price.

—The Young Ladies' Mission Circle expect to have a merry time next Wednesday evening at their Bag Entertainment in the small hall. There will be games, bag races, and all sorts of fun for sale. This will be a good opportunity to get an early start on buying Christmas gifts.

—Mr. L. F. Mason, formerly at Mr. Hall's market, has leased the house on the corner of Erie avenue and Woodward street, for many years occupied by the Healey family, and will occupy it as soon as repairs are made. He is now having a refrigerator built in the stable, and will soon start a route for the sale of meats.

—Building operations have commenced at Eliot, by two out of town builders, who will immediately erect four houses of moderate cost on the Dickerson lands. We wish to congratulate our friend, Mr. Gort, who is the pioneer settler on the prairie, that he will soon have some neighbors.

—At the Christian Endeavor on Tuesday evening Miss Ainsworth and her sister addressed the meeting on work in the south. The first speaker told of work among the poor whites in which she had been engaged and her sister spoke of the work for the negroes at Talladega, Ala., in which institution she is a teacher. Mr. W. E. Thompson also spoke of the work at Atlanta University.

—Mr. Edwin Fewkes died at his residence on Hyde street, Monday afternoon. The deceased was born in Newton and was about 28 years of age. He had been a resident of Newton about 40 years and had been a florist of national reputation. For many years he was associated in business with his son, under the firm name of Edwin Fewkes & Co. Their conveyances were at one time located in Newtonville, at one time at Ipswich and for the past 10 or 12 years at Newton Highlands. Mr. Fewkes had been a member of the Newton Horticultural Society and the Massachusetts Horticultural Society at one time, having been a member of the flower committee of the latter society. He had been regarded as one of the best ornamental florists in New England, and the firm of which he was the senior partner had originated some of the best known specimens of chrysanthemums in this country. A large crowd among them the celebrated variety named for Mrs. Alpheus Hardy. He was an honorable business man and a good citizen. A widow and four children survive him. The funeral took place from his late residence Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The interment was made in the Newton cemetery.

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—Some of the Lake boys had a lively time at the bleachers last Saturday night. It took a dollar's worth of plaster to fix them up Sunday.

—At the North Evangelical Sabbath school last Sunday reference was made to the death of S. W. Fletcher and resolutions of regret at his demise and sympathy with his family were unanimously passed.

—A large number of people have been suffering with malaria, and Dr. Vincent has had his hands full on that account. We are told that he has broken it up in twenty-four hours in the worst cases. He has reason to be proud of his work in these cases of malaria.

—A mad dog was seen in this place Monday afternoon, coming from Watertown, and on its way it had bitten a man and a boy. It went in the direction of Waltham, and is supposed to have been in West Newton that evening and to have been killed at Lower Falls, Tuesday. It was of the Shepherd breed, but Watertown dogs can hardly be blamed for going mad when they alone of all

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**NEWTON.**

—Woodman's base ball puzzle for sale at Harrington.

—Mrs. J. L. Francis returned from Europe this week.

—Mrs. Henry L. Fearing is visiting Mrs. E. J. Whiton, Church street.

—Many call on G. Wilkins Shaw, hear about Newton and are happy.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Smith and daughter returned this week from Beverly.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Ellenwood have returned from their European trip.

—Mrs. C. B. Prescott and family and Mrs. J. L. Bird are at Winooski, Mass.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Harrington have gone to housekeeping on Church street.

—Mr. Henry E. C. and family are stopping temporarily at Hotel Hunnewell.

—Miss C. M. Post will open her dancing school at Armory Hall on Oct. 18th. See adv.

—Rev. Minot J. Savage will preach at the Unitarian church at Watertown, Sunday.

—Prof. Seelye of Smith College occupied the pulpit in the Eliot church last Sunday morning.

—Rev. Henry F. Spaulding and family have returned from their stay at the White Mountain.

—Ladies who wish to vote for school committee must register at City Hall before October 1.

—Alderman Hamblen and family returned yesterday from their summer home in North Situate.

—Mr. J. E. Merrill and family have returned from their summer's sojourn at the Hesperus, Magnolia.

—The Newtons and West Newtons will play a game of ball for a purse on the Magnolia grounds, Saturday afternoon.

—Mr. Fred Wilson, son of Judge J. T. Wilson of Nahant, has been spending a week with his cousin, Dr. J. F. Frisbie, Centre street.

—Mr. David W. Farquhar was among prominent Republicans who represented Mr. Croft at the convention in Boston, Wednesday.

—Mayor Burr leaves the city tomorrow for an extended business trip in the west, going as far as Omaha. He expects to be gone two or three weeks.

—Mr. Henry W. Wellington and family of Newton have returned from Winooski, where they have spent the past season at their summer residence.

—There is some talk of a change in the location of the Redmen's wigwam and a possibility that the council fires may be soon lighted at Newtonville.

—Mr. C. G. McQueen went to Lyndonville, Vt., Wednesday, to attend the funeral of his father, a resident of that place, and is expected home tomorrow.

—Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Tacker celebrated the 5th anniversary of their wedding, with the assistance of a large company of relatives, at their home on Church street.

—Mr. W. H. Blodgett, Mr. W. E. Field and family, who have recently returned from Europe, and Mr. J. N. Bemis and family, formerly of Sargeant street, are at Hotel Hunnewell.

—Mr. Frank D. Frisbie's school for short-hand and penmanship has opened for the autumn term at No. 22 School street, Boston, with a good number of pupils, for both day and evening.

—Miss Sadie Farmer, of the telephone office, has accepted a position as bookkeeper for Spencer & Richardson of the Newton Laundry, and Miss Nellie Evans of Newburyport takes her place.

—Mr. James Maher bought the old mansion house at the auction of the buildings on the Sibley estate, last Saturday, and Mr. James W. French the gardener's cottage. Each of the houses brought the same sum, \$275.

—Donations for the Pomroy Home during the last three weeks are as follows: On Oct. 1, \$1.00; Oct. 2, \$1.00; Oct. 3, \$1.00; Oct. 4, \$1.00; Oct. 5, \$1.00; Oct. 6, \$1.00; Oct. 7, \$1.00; Oct. 8, \$1.00; Oct. 9, \$1.00; Oct. 10, \$1.00; Oct. 11, \$1.00; Oct. 12, \$1.00; Oct. 13, \$1.00; Oct. 14, \$1.00; Oct. 15, \$1.00; Oct. 16, \$1.00; Oct. 17, \$1.00; Oct. 18, \$1.00; Oct. 19, \$1.00; Oct. 20, \$1.00; Oct. 21, \$1.00; Oct. 22, \$1.00; Oct. 23, \$1.00; Oct. 24, \$1.00; Oct. 25, \$1.00; Oct. 26, \$1.00; Oct. 27, \$1.00; Oct. 28, \$1.00; Oct. 29, \$1.00; Oct. 30, \$1.00; Oct. 31, \$1.00; Total, \$31.00.

—The board of health held a special meeting Wednesday evening for the purpose of making assessments on the property owners benefited by the sanitary improvements in the vicinity of Knowles street, Newton Centre.

—A tennis tournament, under the auspices of the Newton High School Lawn Tennis Club, will be held on the Richardson street grounds on the afternoons of Oct. 2, 3 and 4 at 2:30 o'clock and on the morning of Oct. 5 at 9 o'clock.

—Mr. J. H. Wheelock bought the first lot from the Sibley estate, purchasing the very desirable one on the corner of Washington street and Hunnewell avenue, and getting 28,000 feet, 42 cents a foot. He intends building a handsome residence there.

—At the request of many citizens of Newton Rev. Henry G. Spaulding will give in the Channing church parlors a series of four illustrated lectures on Christian and Pagan Rome. The lectures will begin about the middle of October. Full particulars next week.

—The election officers in Ward 1 comprise R. O. Evans, warden; E. A. Smallwood, deputy warden; S. C. Stevens, clerk; George R. Aston, deputy clerk; F. H. Stone, C. H. Stuart, H. H. Powell, W. F. Grace, inspectors; A. P. Bugbee, D. J. Macdonald, H. Loveland, J. E. Crowdie, deputy inspectors.

—Rev. Mr. Hornbrooke will be within two days next Sunday, of ten years of service as pastor of the Channing church, and will preach a sermon appropriate to the occasion. Dr. Shinn is the only minister in Newton who was here when Mr. Hornbrooke came, and Rev. Messrs. Worcester, Patrick and Cutler are all in the city who have been a long pastorate.

—The following is the program of the anniversary of the Girls' Friendly Society, to be held in Grace church, next Sunday evening: 1. Opening hymn. 2. Evening prayer. 3. Report of the society. 4. Sermon by Rev. Dr. Lindsay, rector of St. Paul's church, Boston. 5. Closing hymn and prayers. The service begins at 7:30. All the seats are free, and all persons who wish to observe the week of a missionary service on Sunday morning with a discourse by Rev. C. C. Creggan, D. D., who always makes the subject interesting.

—The Young Peoples' Society of Christian Endeavor of the Methodist church held a festival in the vestry last Monday evening. There was a good attendance of

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**NEWTON.**

The society, with some invited guests. A bountiful collation was served, after which came an enjoyable exercise of two-minute speeches from twelve young gentlemen on topics, "grave and gay," given them after they rose to speak. A number of new members were obtained, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Hugh Campbell, president; Mrs. S. H. Leonard, vice-president; Seymour Eaton, secretary; Miss Grace B. Whitman, treasurer.

—The Board of Health's report for August, issued this week, gives a total of 27 deaths for the month, of which 8 were in Ward 1, five in Ward 2 and 4 each in Wards 5 and 7. Four were over 80 years, three over 70 and two over 60, while 8 were under one year, and 5 under two years. Thirteen were natives of Newton. Seven cases of diphtheria were reported, four from Ward 1; six of typhoid fever, three in Ward 4 and 2 in Ward 1; and three cases of cholera infantum. The report says: "The necessity of an ambulance together with a suitable ward for contagious diseases at the Cottage Hospital has again been made apparent. One of the cases of diphtheria above reported was obliged to be carried to Boston in a hack in order to be operated upon, but unfortunately it was too late to save the child. As the death and burial occurred outside of Newton it does not appear in these returns."

—The grain office of Henry W. Crowell, on Church street, was entered by thieves at an early hour Saturday morning. The thieves initiated a reaching twenty-four, and the burglars made a well planned but unsuccessful attempt to get at it. A hole was drilled through the iron door with the intention of forcing the door open, but the intruders evidently became alarmed and left before accomplishing their purpose. The upper compartment contained a small sum of money, which was taken by the thieves, amounting to about \$6. The noise of the explosion was heard quite a distance from the scene of the affair. Officer J. T. Henthorne has been detailed to work on the case.

—The Newton branch of the American Protective League was instituted in Warner's Block, Tuesday evening, by Chief Deputy Governor Archibald Hunter, the former initiator reaching twenty-four. The following officers were installed: Governor, I. J. Jefferson; governor, G. P. Atkins; Lieut.-Gov., W. D. Shaughnessy; speaker, J. L. DeWolfe; secretary, J. P. Airth; Gol. and Treas., L. D. Whitmore, Jr.; teacher, D. W. Polly; marshal, A. A. Kimball; deputy marshal, A. A. Alden; guard, P. E. Linnehan; trustees, G. P. Atkins, I. J. Jefferson, M. S. Beardsley. Thirteen more were to join but failed to appear and will doubtless be initiated at the next meeting which occurs Oct. 8th. The organization is similar in aspect to the Iron Hall with improvements and changes, the latter being but one-half the time of the other. In addition to the sick benefit of \$20 there is an accident benefit of \$20 and a funeral benefit of \$50.

**Death of Charles F. Rand.**

Mr. Charles F. Rand died at 1 o'clock Thursday morning at his home on Eliot place, after a severe illness of three weeks, although he has been in failing health since last February, when he had a severe attack of rheumatism, complicated with heart troubles. He will be greatly missed in Newton, where he was a familiar figure, and being for many years one of the leading real estate agents, he had a wide circle of acquaintances, and quite as wide a circle of friends, who respected him for his uprightness of character and his social disposition. He came to Newton in 1852, and has resided here ever since. For several years he was the proprietor and publisher of the Newton Republican, which under another proprietor became the Newton Graphic, and he also published the Brighton Register, the Newton Real Estate Advertiser, and started the Watertown Enterprise. He was one of the most active of men, believing firmly that it was better to wear out than to rust out, and he kept charge of his business as long as it was possible for him to get to his office. He was born in Keene, N. H., in January, 1821, came to Boston when a young man, and served an apprenticeship in the printing business. He was afterwards in the coal business in Boston and accumulated considerable property there.

Two sisters, both of whom reside in California, and three brothers, living in Keene, N. H., Lowell and Jamaica Plain, remain of his family, and a wife and two daughters, Mrs. Clara E. Edly, and Miss Lizzie M. Rand survive him. Mr. Rand was always prompt in attending to his public duties, and on election day his face was a familiar one in the ward room. For many years he served very acceptably as overseer of the poor. It was quite a striking coincidence that his death should follow so soon after that of Mr. John Warner, who had for years been his intimate friend. He was a member of Eliot Church, at which he was a very regular attendant, and also of Channing Church, Royal Arcanum.

The funeral services will be held on Saturday at 2 p. m., in the Eliot Chapel.

**Newton Democratic Delegates.**

A Democratic caucus was held in the City Hall, West Newton, last evening. The following delegates were elected:

Ward One. State, C. H. Graves, D. J. Mahoney, E. O. Childs; senatorial, E. J. Burke, J. W. Hills, J. E. Briston.

Ward Two. State, G. E. Bridges, J. H. Williams, C. P. Harkins, H. P. Dearborn; senatorial, P. C. Brigham, P. A. Mulligan, J. F. Horrigan.

Ward Three. State, E. S. Merchant, E. J. Barry, W. H. Mague; senatorial, F. T. Cox, F. J. Sheridan, Joseph Carney.

Ward Four. State, W. E. Plummer, E. J. O'Donnell, John Dolan; senatorial, James Dolan, Bernard Early, M. C. McCarty.

Ward Five. State, Henry M. Durant, C. H. Hale, D. J. Buckley; senatorial, W. H. Kenebeck, F. J. Hale, D. J. Kelliher.

Ward Six. State, C. C. Barton, Samuel Jackson, George F. Richards; senatorial, J. W. Hills, Angus Robinson, P. J. Linnehan.

Ward Seven. State, W. J. Follett; at large, C. F. Rogers, A. C. Mudge; senatorial, A. C. Mudge, C. F. Rogers.

The councillor delegates are the same as the state, and the county the same as the senatorial.

**Ward Seven Caucuses.**

The Ward Seven caucuses, to nominate a successor to Councilman Hamblen, was held last evening, with a very small attendance. Mr. Geo. T. Coppins was chosen chairman and Mr. G. D. Gilman secretary. On motion of Mr. S. L. Powers, Mr. W. C. Bates was nominated by acclamation and accepted, after which the caucus adjourned. The special election will be held next Monday.

**School Board Meeting.**

The board was called to order Wednesday evening by Mayor Burr, who occupied the chair, and the roll called by the clerk. By vote the reading of the records was omitted.

Proceeding to business, Mr. Barton read the resignation of an assistant teacher in the High school, Mrs. L. P. Underhill, which it was voted to accept on motion of the same gentleman. Mr. Barton said the department in drawing had become nearly unmanageable for one teacher to attend to, and moved that Miss Collins be allowed an assistant to aid her three days in each week, at a compensation per week of \$8.00, proposing the name of Miss Alice Macomber for the position. Upon vote of the board all of Mr. Barton's suggestions were carried. Mr. Barton then recommended for appointment as unassigned teacher to fill a vacancy caused by a promotion this year, Miss Jennie P. Baker, at a salary of \$500 per annum, which was so voted.

Mrs. Davis moved the appointment of Miss Ada Z. Zeigler as an assistant at the Underwood school, the compensation to be fixed at \$550, which was so voted. The resignation of Miss Hilma M. Ekman of Roxbury, read by Mr. Parker, was accepted.

Superintendent Emerson made his report which was accepted. On motion of Mr. Philbrick, such part of the report as referred to evening schools was referred to the proper committee, and that to text books similarly referred. Mr. Hornbrooke presented a communication from Mrs. H. B. Wiswall of Wellesley asking for privilege to send her children to the Hamilton school. A good deal of discussion resulted. Mr. Barton opposed the measure on the grounds that we had no right to use the money of our citizens to educate children from other towns, no matter whether they were tax payers here, we owed this much at least to the citizens whose interests we represent. It now costs the city \$80.00 for each pupil at the High school and \$32.00 at the Grammar school, and it is more than we should undertake to pay out of the funds furnished by our citizens for the education of their own children.

Dr. Baker, in speaking of the matter, said that Mr. Wiswall lived just over the line from Lowell Falls, and was at the present time contemplating a residence on this side of the line. Mrs. Wiswall was very anxious to have her children educated in the Newton schools in which she herself had been brought up. The parents would doubtless be willing to pay a fair tuition if the board thought better rather than forego the privilege. Others in that vicinity had been allowed the same by paying an annual tuition of \$20.00, and it certainly is reasonable to consider this case not as the same but as more deserving for the fact that Mr. Wiswall is looking a residence within our limits. Mr. John W. Dickinson thought there might be some legal technicalities against allowing entrance to the schools free. Dr. Baker admitted that such might be the case and moved that it be referred back to the committee for information, and it was so voted. Mr. Hornbrooke said that there had been no regular meeting of the committee, but as it had been before allowed under like circumstances he had felt perfectly safe in presenting the communication. Rev. Dr. Shinn said a number of such cases had been allowed in Wards 1 and 7 until recently and that probably Mr. Hornbrooke received a wrong impression. Upon motion of Dr. Baker it was voted to refer it to the committee for decision.

Mr. Barnard submitted his report of the financial standing of the schools, and the same was accepted. A statement of the appropriation required for the ensuing year was placed at \$121,000. The financial standing could hardly be better than at present, all bills are paid with an exception of a small one of about \$2.00, and the amount estimated will cover our expenses for the coming year and as thorough a manner as that of last year. Mr. Barnard moved that the city council be requested to appropriate the sum of \$121,700 for school expenses for the ensuing year, which was voted.

Under the head of new business, Rev. Dr. Shinn asked to be relieved of his position as member of the evening school committee. His resignation was accepted with regret by the Mayor.

By request of Mr. Putney Miss Grace Gould's salary was raised from \$500 to \$550 for the ensuing school year.

That part of Sec. 4, Chap. 1, of the rules and regulations relating to the detention of children after school hours, which was brought up for discussion. A majority agreed with Mr. Dickinson that it should be left to the discretion of the teacher. It was finally voted, on motion of the last named gentleman, that the part of Sec. 4, Chap. 1, of the rules and regulations relating to the detention of scholars after school hours be suspended, thus giving the teacher full power. The motion of Dr. Shinn to notify masters and principals of the change was carried. Also, a motion that the teachers be required to keep a full record of all such detentions, the reason, length of time, and offenders name, such record to be open at all times to the superintendent and the committee.

Mr. Parker moved that the pay of the janitor at the Williams school be raised from \$18.00 to \$20.00. Referred to the committee on salaries. Dr. Baker moved the sum of \$15.00 be paid the janitor of the Hamilton school for work during the summer vacation. Referred to the committee on salaries.

On motion of Dr. Shinn it was voted that the city council be requested to superintend repairs on the school property during the summer vacation, rather than in school session.

## CITY GOVERNMENT.

THE GAMEWELL POLICE SIGNAL SYSTEM  
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Both branches of the city government met Monday evening; present Aldermen Harbach, Childs, Pettie, Tolman, Hamblen. Mayor Burr presided, and Col. I. F. Kingsbury was appointed to take charge of the interim of honorably discharged soldiers.

## ELECTION OFFICERS.

The following list of election officers was read and laid over for one week under the rules.

WARD 1—Warden, R. Orlando Evans, R.; Deputy, Edwin A. Smallwood, R.; Clerk, Seth C. Stevens, D.; Deputy, Geo. R. Aston, D.; Inspectors, Fred H. Stone, R., Charles H. Stuart, D.; Deputies, Powell, R., W. E. Grace, D.; Deputies, Albert P. Bungee, R., Daniel J. Mahoney, D., Fred H. Loveland, R., John E. Crowde, D.

WARD 2—Warden, Henry P. Dearborn, D.; Deputy, George T. Lincoln, D.; Clerk, L. E. Green, R.; Deputy, Uralah H. Dyer, R.; Inspectors, H. Cranitch, D., J. D. Billings, R., Charles Newell, D., E. G. Bradshaw, R.; Deputies, Walter Connor, D., T. G. Cutter, R., W. F. Dunn, D., Edward Rumery, R. Precinct 2—Warden, Deputy, George A. Mead, D.; Clerk, W. S. Higgins, R.; Deputy, Alfred B. Tainter, R.; Inspectors, W. W. Palmer, R., John Cotton, D., E. W. Bailey, J. H. Williams, D.; Deputies, A. A. Sawyer, R., Charles H. Johnson, R., W. Cunningham, D., George M. Bridges, D.

WARD 3—Warden, R. C. Wood, R.; Deputy, F. E. Hunt, R.; Clerk, H. Hargreton, D.; Deputy, Eugene F. Conroy, D.; Inspectors, Arthur R. Coe, R., Frank H. Humphrey, D., A. Stuart Pratt, R., George L. V. Tyler, D.; Deputies, Edward L. Lemon, R., Frank C. Sheridan, D., C. H. Wyman, D.

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WARD 7—Warden, A. B. Huff, R.; Deputy, J. E. Hills, R.; Clerk, Moses Clark, Jr., D.; Deputy, H. C. Daniels, D.; Inspector, R. B. Edes, R., George W. Larson, D., Arthur C. Mudge, D., George M. Weed, R., Georges Joseph W. Howard, R., Lewis H. Farlow, D., Fred G. Kimball, R., M. V. B. Paine, D.

## PETITIONS.

V. Haffermehl and others asked for two street lamps on Beecher Place, Ward 6, and one on Carlisle street. F. W. Fuller's petition for license to erect a private stable on Wales street, Ward 4, was granted. John Joyce was granted license to put up wagon shed, 40 by 18 feet on Thornton street. Emma A. Allen was granted a license to keep an intelligence office, corner of Washington and Walnut streets. W. F. Hammett asked to have a telephone pole in front of his residence, corner of Sargent street and Hyde avenue removed, as there were two poles, a hydrant and a catch basin in front of his house, and this pole stood in the street, and promises had been made to have it removed; referred to license committee.

## ORDERS.

On motion of Alderman Pettie an order was passed appropriating \$500 for the purchase of voting stalls, desks, rails, and other fixtures for the several voting precincts.

An order was passed naming the polling places for the State and municipal elections. They are the usual places save in Ward 2, which has room 4, Central block and Tremont hall, and Ward 5, which has the Old Prospect school house at Upper Falls, and the hall in Stevens' block, Newton Highlands.

## THE GAMEWELL POLICE SYSTEM.

Alderman Pettie presented an order instructing the committee on police to contract with the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph company for the introduction of the police signal system in Newton, at a cost not to exceed \$4,800, in accordance with the proposals submitted in June, 1889.

Alderman Tolman moved to table the order in order that it might be called up later, but the motion was lost 3 to 2.

Alderman Pettie said he would have been willing to have the order tabled if he had known why such a motion was made. He offered the order because he was impressed with the necessity of the city council taking some action on the matter. Last year money was appropriated for a police signal system because it was thought a necessity for Newton to have one. The city council had long heard of the Gamewell company, and had debated the matter at great length, and the common council had taken such action that it was impossible for the Municipal company to come up there this year. He thought the business should be finished. The police company had made no report since the action of the council, and there had been delay enough and discussion enough. He favored the Gamewell company because he could not see why it was not as good as any other system, and a company that made such a perfect fire alarm system, on which so much depended, was certainly able to make a system to call a wagon to remove a drunken man. All the members were satisfied in their own minds, he thought, and there was no need of further delay.

Alderman Childs said that in 1888 it was considered very necessary to have a police signal system, and the finance committee was appealed to make an appropriation for that purpose. The

matter rested till June, when the police committee recommended the Municipal company. The recommendation was defeated. Nothing had been done by the committee since, and he thought it was so important to have a police signal system, there should be no delay. He had favored the Gamewell system because he believed after thorough investigation that it was the equal and indeed the superior of the Municipal system. The Gamewell company was a home company, and should be encouraged. They had never given a poor piece of fire apparatus, and would not give a poor police signal system. There was no reason for referring it back to the police committee, their duty had ended, and there was no use in further delay. If the police signal service was needed last fall it was needed now, and further reference could only delay the matter, probably till another year. The Municipal company was boasting of having been refused to take the Gamewell system, and were using this as an argument, although it was far from being the truth. Another thing might be stated, although it was not an argument—the Gamewell company were thinking of building a new and larger factory, moving to the state, and employing 100 men, and have works worth \$60,000. The tax on this would go a good ways toward paying the cost of the Gamewell system. If Newton refused to do anything with them, they might listen to other cities which were offering them police sites, freedom from taxation, and other inducements. Waltham was making a great effort to get them there, and they had to decide the matter this week. If the matter was referred back he was frank to say that he did not believe any move towards adopting a system would be made this year.

Alderman Tolman moved that the order be referred to a special committee of two aldermen and three councilmen. He did not do this in the interest of the Municipal system; he had no prejudice against the Gamewell system, and was ready to consider that company when the order came regularly before the board. Such reference would give the common council a voice in the matter. He was in favor of putting in such system now, and he would not say but that he would vote for the Gamewell. Alderman Childs thought the common council had got plenty of light on the matter already, as it had been so fully discussed.

Alderman Hamblen was in favor of having some system now, and he had looked over both systems and their workings, and preferred the Gamewell, but could not see where the thousand extra cost of the other system came from. The Gamewell was fully the equal, if not a better system.

Alderman Pettie did not see the use of further delays and another labyrinth of mystery with electrical experts. The committee had had since June to report and had done nothing.

Alderman Childs could see no earthly object to be gained by a reference to a committee, except to postpone the whole thing to another year.

Alderman Tolman thought it would be a good thing to have further investigation by a new committee, but he did not want to be understood as working in the interest of the Municipal company, as he was not sure that the Gamewell might not be entirely satisfactory.

The amendment failed to pass, and the order was then passed 3 to 1, Alderman Harbach voting no.

## THE LOWER FALLS BRIDGE.

Alderman Harbach read an order which was passed, appropriating \$732.95, and such sums as might be received from the town of Wellesley, for the payment of outstanding bills for the construction of the bridge at Lower Falls. He said that after the appropriation of \$5,000 was made for the new bridge, it was voted to raise the grade, and that caused an extra expense; the unusual high water caused extra expense, and the temporary bridges and approaches there to made the total amount foot up to the amount stated.

## THE STREET RAILWAY AMENDMENTS.

Alderman Harbach presented the street railway order amended, the changes being that the railway tracks are to be laid on the south side of Washington street, where the street is directly adjacent to the Boston & Albany road, that when the track is on the side of the street chairs can be dispensed with, that the railway company can use the street for macadam for filling where either will be satisfactory to the highway committee, and that they can use a 45 pound straight rail. The report was accepted and an order passed, with a provision that if the filling used was not satisfactory to the highway committee, the company should pave between the tracks and for 18 inches outside, that if the straight rail failed to satisfy the requirements, the Richards rail should be substituted. Alderman Harbach stated that the only private lot passed by the tracks on the side of the street was a small vacant lot, next to the Ward & Ladder house in Ward 2.

The Street Railway company petitioned to be authorized to enter upon and use the West End railway tracks on Centre street, and also to be authorized to use electricity as a motive power and erect appliances for the same. Referred to a special committee consisting of Aldermen Harbach, Tolman and Johnson.

Thomas Mague was granted a license to put up a wagon shed on Mague Court, 16 by 45 feet.

Mr. E. W. Wood was appointed a committee on revision of the city statutes in place of Mayor Fowler, deceased. Amos L. Hale was appointed registrar of voters, after which the board took a recess, and then adjourned to next Monday evening, to receive election returns.

## THE COMMON COUNCIL.

When the Gamewell police signal came up, Col. Hyde spoke in its favor, and said that he did not present it as an argument, but Waltham was trying to induce the Gamewell company to move to that city, and Framingham had offered them freedom of taxes for a term of years, and other places were anxious to have the company. Newton had given them no inducement, but all the company asked was fair treatment, and they thought of moving to Upper Falls, where they would build extensive works, and increase the number of operatives. Upper Falls needs just such a company, and the class of men that company would bring there. He hoped the order would be passed, and he thought there was no question about the excellence of the Gamewell Co.'s work, or the satisfactory nature of their police signal system.

Councilman Collins agreed with what had been said by Mr. Hyde, and added that the class of men employed by the Gamewell company were men who were a credit to any city. They were all skilled mechanics of a high class, and older-loving citizens. The Gamewell system was fully as good as the Municipal, to say the least.

Councilman Wiswall said there was no question but that the city needed a police

signal system, and he could see no reason for voting for the Municipal in preference to the Gamewell. It was for the interest of the city to have the system this year and he hoped the order would pass.

A vote was then taken and the order passed, Councilman Moody only voting no.

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## City of Newton.

To CHARLES F. RICHARDSON, City Marshal, and to one of the Constables of the City of Newton, GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to warn the citizens of WARD NO. SEVEN, qualified to vote as the law directs, to assemble at

## NONANTUM HALL,

IN SAID WARD,

On Monday, the 30th day of September, instant,

at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and from that time until two o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to give in their ballots for one Common Councilman for said Ward, who shall be resident therein, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Ephraim S. Hamblen, elected alderman.

The polls will be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and closed at two o'clock in the afternoon, on the day aforesaid.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant, by posting attested copies thereof in not less than four public places in said Ward, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting, and publishing the same in the Newton Journal and Newton Graphic.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Warden of said Ward, on or before the thirtieth day of September, instant.

Witness, HEMAN M. BURR, Mayor of said City of Newton, on this, the sixteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty nine.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen, ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, City Clerk.

A true copy, Attest, CHARLES F. RICHARDSON, City Marshal.

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

CITY OF NEWTON, September 20, 1889.

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Wednesday, the Ninth day of

October, 1889,

At Ten o'clock in the forenoon,

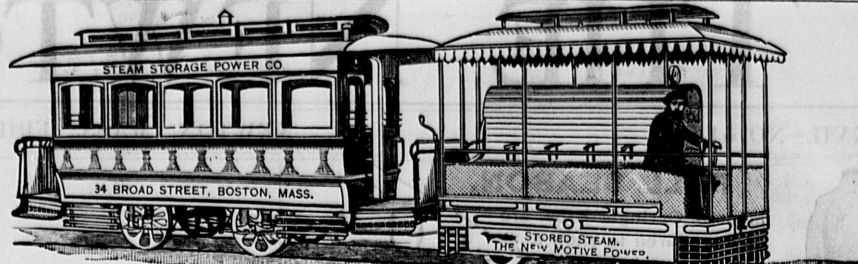
All and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely: A certain piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Newton, and bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning on the westerly side of School street at the southerly corner of Walnut street, thence westerly by said Walnut street one hundred four and seven-tenths feet (104 7/10) to land late of Nathaniel Ayer; thence southerly by a lot of Ayer's land one hundred feet (100) to land now or formerly of J. N. Bacon and Mrs. Chickering; thence easterly on said Bacon's and Chickering's land one hundred four and seven-tenths feet (104 7/10) to said School street; thence northerly on said School street one hundred feet (100) to place of beginning; being the same estate conveyed to me by deed of even date and intended to be recorded in Middlesex Registry No. District.

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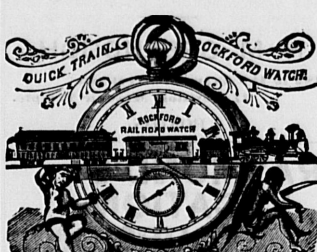
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No. 10.

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1855

1889

Give us free wool. O! Congress, you are very wise and we leave to you this matter of wool taxes. It and within our memory seven changes in the wool tariff have been made by Representatives and Senators only about 80 per cent. now. Come, about these matters. Raw materials free, and we shall and we can compete with Europe.

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## More, More, More.

The woollen manufacturers met and resolved. The first resolve was that they were consistent! Just four years ago they wanted free wools, and to-day they don't want them. That is consistency. After such a barefaced lie in the first resolution it is scarcely worth while to go further. In fact the action of these manufacturers is so preposterously silly, so outrageously false and mean, so astoundingly contradictory to common sense, that we must fall back upon silence as Palstaff did, and conclude by saying, "Oh for breath to utter what is like this!" Some may think the following letter extravagant, but we print it as the sincere expression of the feeling of many conservative business men.

To the Secretary:—

That veteran pair of public beggars, the wool and the "woolen interests," are, by their importunities, goading the American people to a point where it is liable to lose its patience and thrust them out of doors to shift for themselves. After a whole generation of glutinous feeding at the public table they now, through their representative societies, put forth whining pleas of resolution, lamenting their low state and demanding more and better food. These last resolutions by the Association of Woollen Manufacturers are so full of hypocrisy, effrontery and absurdity, that we predict they will prove entirely too much for the public stomach. It is a curious partnership, this tripartite alliance between the Wool Producers, the Woollen Manufacturers and the National Treasury, whom for convenience we will name in their order as A, B and C. A and B are very rich but keen and hungry for more. C is also very rich but is fat and stupid. A gives certain advantages to B, and B returns equivalent advantages to A. C also gives enormous advantages to both A and B but by no chance do A and B ever give anything to C. Consequently most people, including A and B, consider C a fool. When beseeching the generosity of C, and B as smiling and affectionate as two brothers, but the moment the charity is dispensed they quarrel over it like two thieves over the "swag." And this is the present contention. The Association of Wool Producers and the Association of Woollen Manufacturers are quarrelling over the "swag." For 27 years these two public dependants have had "protection" such as has rarely been accorded to any interest in any time or place. During this period a tax of from 50 to 90 per cent. on foreign products—a tax which has proved an outrageous burden on the consumer—has shielded them from the natural competition of the world. In the last few months, since Benj. Harrison became President and Wm. Windom Secretary of the Treasury, these two national beneficiaries have had additional custom-house decisions made for them, which will transfer millions of dollars from the pockets of plain people to the hands of wealthy manufacturers and ranchmen. This golden stream is a stimulating liquor. Like all stimulants it is unhealthful and reacts upon the users. Their cry is ever for more stimulus. Like the drunkards, their thirst grows constantly stronger, until at last it seems that the fumes of high tariff liquor have actually fuddled the brains of the Wool and Woollen men. "Whom the gods would destroy they first make mad." The Wool and Woollen hangers on of the national treasury invite certain loss and bitter humiliation, if at this time of day, with the present temper of the American people, they come forward with barefaced demands for still more and higher taxes on every form of their own special products, for the benefit of their own special pockets. That they should do so, is evidence of their hopeless blindness to the real situation and of the worthlessness of their judgment in the whole matter. The next general elections will give them a rude awakening, to find that their opportunity of compromising with

the great public, they have taxed so long and so heavily, is gone forever.

Z. Z.

As we have stated above the position of Clay on raw materials we will also add here the opinion of Hamilton—viz—domestic wools should be encouraged by premiums, and imports of foreign wools should be rewarded by the payment of bounties. We are striving to keep foreign wools out of the country. Hamilton would have encouraged their importation. The wool growers at least must cease saying, "The tariff is but one Protection, and Hamilton is its prophet."

## CONCERNING WOMEN.

EXCITEMENT AMONG CHICAGO TEACHERS.

A point of much interest is raised in Chicago at the opening of the fall term of the public schools, in regard to the illegality of employing as teachers women who are aliens. The Illinois state alien law, prohibiting the employment in the public service or on any public works of aliens who have not declared their intention of becoming citizens, was passed at the last general Assembly. The applicability of this law to the public school teachers is now brought to the front. There is much discussion of the subject, some even averring that a woman cannot be a citizen because she is not enfranchised, and therefore that women cannot serve in any public capacity. This question has, however, been practically settled by the courts admitting women to citizenship in many cases. In this controversy the law applying to the citizenship of women will be made clear. Be the law on that subject what it may, that forbidding the payment of money for public service to an alien is explicit, and the conclusion of this agitation in Chicago will be watched with interest all through the country.

## SOME CHAUTAUQUA WORK.

One of the features of the Chautauqua school this summer has been the woman's club, which held a daily session from 8 to 9 o'clock in the morning. Such subjects as the home; wage-workers, and how to better their condition; women and the public schools; temperance; missionary conferences, and lectures on cookery, have attracted the attention of the club. Chautauqua has secular advantages for a full discussion of whatever subject is taken up, as nearly every state and territory in the Union is there represented.

## THE RAMABAI SCHOOL.

The first quarter of Ramabai's school, in Poonah, India, ended June 11. There are 22 pupils, and five more widows have applications made for them, according to an extract from a private letter from Ramabai, published in "Lend a Hand." The school began with two pupils. At the end of three weeks more came, and it is now expected that the number will steadily increase. Miss Demmon teaches English to all the girls in the afternoon. In the morning she teaches language, reading, writing, arithmetic and geography to two pupils. All the common branches are taught in the Marathi language, and soon it is expected to give instruction in Sanscrit, physiology, botany and hygiene. A young man who is studying in the Grant medical college has placed his young bride in this school. He cannot afford to pay her board, as he has nothing but the scholarship of his college to depend upon—which is just enough to pay his own board.

## UNJUST COMPENSATION.

Our government sets the example of unequal compensation for the work of men and women. No one contends that skilled labor should receive equal pay with skilled, but the most is made of the fact that a large number of women untrained to any occupation must earn their living. In the treasury department at Washington there is a woman, expert in the detection of counterfeit bills. Her skill in this line is said to be marvelous, and no one else, man or woman, can compete with her, yet she receives less pay than any of the men. One of the male clerks fell ill and his wife took his place. He lingered along ill for a year and a half, his wife doing his work and then died. Her work had been pronounced satisfactory and she was appointed his successor. While she drew the pay in his name it remained the same, but now the moment she received it in her own name it was reduced one-half.

## An Invasion of Fleas.

Boston housekeepers are troubled with an inroad of fleas, which swarm over houses and makes the lives of the tenants miserable. They are now reported principally from the South End and Roxbury but last year Cambridge had its visitation. So far they have appeared in only one house in Newton, as far as known, and then they became so bad that the house was closed and fumigated. They were the result of a carpet from Newton in the costly imported rug with which the house was furnished, and the fumigation although it disposed of the fleas did great damage to the gilding on mouldings and wall papers. Sweet fern is recommended as a remedy, and affluently thrown about the room, and wormwood is also said to be an effectual remedy.

The flea is to be found in all parts of the world, and lives by sucking the blood of man, beast, and fowl. He is found wherever sand and dust accumulate, and especially in the folds of carpets. They make refuge in beds wherever cleanliness is neglected. In some countries they are so abundant as to be an intolerable nuisance to residents and travellers. Especially is this so in Australia and Italy and other countries of southern Europe, where general warmth and dryness encourage the growth of this insect to an extent which the precautions of the housewife are unavailing. The female flea is somewhat larger than the male, but the sexes are otherwise similar. The head of the flea is small and compressed, rounded above, the eyes being little silk cocoons, and the mouth being a complete metamorphosis. The female lays about a dozen eggs, white in color, the larva being a worm without legs, but none the less lively. When about to change into pupa it encloses itself in a little silk cocoon, and emerges a perfect flea, fully equipped for business. Cleanliness and carefulness are the principal means to be used to keep out these pests, but when these precautions are found insufficient certain aromatic plants should be employed, such as those mentioned above, their odors being apparently detestable to the insect. Fleabane is also another good remedy. Whichever remedy is used should be well sprinkled over, only to be swept up when the pests have disappeared.

## BOOKS AND MAGAZINES.

THE OCTOBER HARPER'S.

Hunger for good American short stories can be satisfied by the feast of this species of literature to be found in the October number of Harper's Magazine. Edward Bellamy contributes a sketch entitled "With the Eyes Shut," which, even if the writer's name were not given, would betray, in the originality of its conception, the author of "Looking Backward." Annie Trumbull Slosson develops a fanciful idea in "Butterfingers." Margaret J. Preston tells, in "Aunt Dorothy's Funeral," of obsequies which "man proposed," but which were subsequently celebrated with joy and merriment; and Mrs. Lucy C. Lillie, in "Captain Brooke's Prejudice," relates the story of a caprice and its consequences to two lovers. Professor Charles Eliot Norton, of Harvard University, presents a paper upon "The Building of the Church of St. Dunstons." W. W. Keene, M. D., the eminent Philadelphia surgeon, gives a clear and comprehensive account of "Recent Progress in Surgery." T. de Thulstrup furnishes many illustrations emphasizing Theodore Child's description of "The Fair of Nijni-Novgorod." Professor W. G. Blake, D. D., writes of "The Scotchman's Word-Knowledge." Two authors are their own artists: Howard Pyle describing, with pen and pencil, "A Peculiar People"—a German Baptist sect—the Duncers of Pennsylvania; and Tristram Ellis, what he saw on a visit to "Hieropolis and its White Terrace." Edward A. Abbey illustrates "The Noble Patron," by Austin Dobson; and Alfred Parsons embellishes Wordsworth's sonnet, "Hail Twilight." Geo. Wm. Curtis and Wm. Dean Howells this month both speak of recent publications, and also certain subjects bearing upon our country. Charles Dudley Warner continues his little story "American Social Life." A Little Journey in the World"—and contributes to the Editor's Drawer a humorous essay upon a mysterious subject."

## BELLFORD'S MAGAZINE.

Hon. Thomas B. Reed of Maine, the Republican Leader, will have an article in the October "Bellford's" on "The Protectionists' View of It." "The Coming Subjection of Man" by Elizabeth Bisland is an article that will be read with pleasure by the ladies. An article of unusual interest in Great America, and read generally by Gen. H. V. Boynton gives the true story of the battle of Shiloh. He claims that the documents Sherman has to show that he was not surprised then, are forged. "Bellford's" for October will contain besides its complete long novel, "The Devil's April," by Mary Kyle Dallas, no less than 30 other articles; it will be the most complete and interesting number from every point yet issued. Jefferson Davis' paper, "Does the Majority Rule?" will be looked for with interest by a large class of readers.

## THE CENTURY.

Seven writers—clergymen, college professors and public men, some of them specialists of acknowledged standing—have associated themselves to discuss special questions of social interest and import, and to prepare papers to beafterward given to the public and read generally in the pages of The Century. The writers include the Rev. Professor Shields of Princeton, Bishop Potter of New York, the Rev. Dr. T. T. Munger of New Haven, the Hon. Seth Low of Brooklyn, and Professor Ely of the Johns Hopkins University. On each paper the writer is responsible, but he will have had the benefit of the criticism of the other members of the group before giving it final form. The opening paper will be printed in the November Century. The Century has also in preparation a series of papers on subjects relating to The Gold Hunters of California.

## ATLANTIC.

The October number of the Atlantic Monthly opens with a varied instrument of Mr. Bynner's story, "The Begun Daughter." The love scene at the end has for its background the lowering cloud of the American Revolution. Next follow "A Non-Combatant's War Reminiscences," by J. R. Kendrick, and Mr. John Fiske's "The Monmouth and Newport Campaigns." "The Government and Its Creditors," by Henry Loomis Nelson, is a solid and right-thinking article; and Mr. J. H. Thayer's recollections of Theodore Dwight Woolsey will receive a wide welcome. Mr. Lawton's translation of some of "The Closing Scenes of the Bible," and comments upon others are delightful reading. Miss Sophia Kirk's "Prismatics" is remarkable in saying a good word both for the ideal and the real, but with a definite leaning toward the ideal; "Ladies and Learning," by L. D. Morgan, offers a skillful and entertaining resume of many of the narrow opinions held concerning the education of women from Roger Ascham down to Mrs. Barbauld; and the neat-handed Agnes Repplier, in "Fiction in the Pulpit," calls some of the greatest novelists of this century into the court of art to answer for their artistic offences. Mr. Chesnut's "Dave's Neckless," a story in the negro dialect, shows undeniable power and pathos; Mr. James in his superlatively clever novel, shirks a situation this month after a fashion his admirers have long since learned to expect. The contributors are generally witty and witty, and the verse, by Mr. Scollard and others, is of good quality.

## SCRIBNER'S.

In the first article of the current number of Scribner's Magazine Mr. Joseph Thomson tells how he crossed Masailand. He is in love with savage life, he found Tabata and the neighborhood of Kilimanjaro a wild paradise, and he had the happiness of a plunge into the waters of Nyanza at its northeastern corner. "Electricity in War"—naval warfare being cared for by Lieut. W. S. Hughes, and land warfare by John Mills, first Lieutenant Corps of Engineers, U. S. A.—is of more interest, and will surprise many people with its illustrations of the extent to which the nations already use the new force in destroying one another. "A Summer in Iceland" gave Mr. Charles Sprague Smith pleasure, and he sings prose poems of the fine air and the hospitality and simplicity of the people. The text is accompanied with pictures of some good types of people. Professor Shaler suggests practical ways of bettering "The Common Roads." Mr. Edward J. Lowell contributes a careful illustrated paper on that ever interesting person Benvenuto Cellini; and two short stories by Messrs. Bangs and Dunderidge indicate moderate degrees of merit. The conclusion of "The Master of Ballantrae" is sharply dramatic and the writing a marvel in its close texture. "A Scattering Shot at Some Rarities," by Donald G. Mitchell, is happily much better than its title. Mr. Mitchell has lost none of his meditative and discursive charm.

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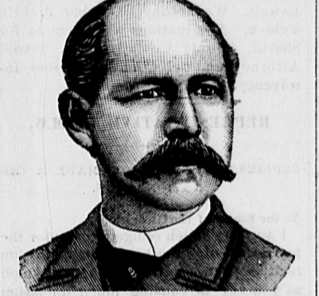
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At City Hall on Tuesday, October 1.  
Newton—Armory Hall, Wednesday, October 2.  
Newton Lower Falls—Boyd Hall, Saturday, October 5.  
Nonantum—Athenaeum, Wednesday, October 9.  
Newton Highlands—Stevens Hall, Saturday, October 12.  
Cittifall, Monday, October 14.  
Auburndale—Auburn Hall, Wednesday, October 16.  
Newtonville—Tremont Hall, Saturday, October 19.  
Newton Upper Falls—Old Prospect School-house, Tuesday, October 22.  
Newton Centre—Associates' Hall, Pleasant Street, Wednesday, October 23.  
Also at City Hall from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 5 o'clock P. M., on Fridays, October 4, 11, 18 and 25, and on Saturday, October 26, from 2 to 5 o'clock and 7.30 to 9 o'clock P. M.  
No names can be registered after 10 o'clock P. M., October 26.

All persons whose names are not on the Voting List must appear personally before the Registrars of Voters on either of the days above mentioned presenting a receipted tax bill of 1888 or 1889.

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## GOOD TEMPERANCE WORK.

The present administration of city affairs is certainly to be recommended for its vigilance and success in breaking up illegal liquor selling within the limits of the city. The kitchen bar-rooms are being weeded out with a relentless hand and no favor is shown to any one suspected of being engaged in the business. Mayor Burr promised at the beginning of the year to see that the laws were enforced and how well he has done this is shown by the police court record. Up to September first there have been 21 convictions for illegal liquor selling, four more than under any previous administration during the same period. There have been two convictions since that date, and by the end of the year, according to present prospects, there will have been twice as many convictions as were ever before secured in any one year in Newton.

Mayor Burr certainly deserves great credit for the decided stand he has taken, and he has earned the approval of all who desire to see the laws enforced, and the cause of temperance advanced. The evil effects of allowing the no license law to be disregarded, and illegal business carried on with more or less openness, are too well known to need any comment here. In his work, the Mayor has been greatly aided by Marshal Richardson, who sees that the cases are well worked up, and sufficient evidence secured to secure conviction. The police have received very strict instructions in this matter, and they feel that they have the support of the head of the city government in their work.

It may be two months to expect that this illegal business will be entirely broken up, but there never was a time when it was carried on so cautiously, and when the law is so closely obeyed, as far as outward appearances go. Any selling is done it is done so secretly as to be a great compliment to the administration.

In this connection, it might not be out of place to call attention to the utter uselessness and cowardice of anonymous complaints. Some people are very willing to complain of illegal selling of liquor, but when asked if they will allow their names to be given to the police, even, for reference, they utterly refuse, as they say they do not wish to be known in the matter. If they know that the law is violated they should give the facts to the police, that the law-breakers may be punished, but very few citizens are willing to do this. For instance, a certain druggist has been complained of for illegal liquor selling. But the complainants refuse to appear before the board of aldermen, to ask that the license be revoked, or to have their names used in any way. Of course in such a case, it is possible to do nothing. The prominent citizens of Newton Centre set a worthy example in this respect, they suspected that a certain druggist was not obeying the law, they made complaints, appeared before the board of aldermen and secured the revocation of the druggist's license. This is the proper way to do, and the only way in which the offender can be reached. There are very few druggists in the city, however, who are in any way suspected of trying to evade the law.

## POLICE SIGNAL SYSTEM.

The City Council has at last taken definite action in regard to the question of a police signal system and have voted to accept the Gamewell system, which will be very satisfactory news to citizens generally. The Gamewell company made a perfectly satisfactory showing at the exhibition given in the City Hall, and convinced the majority of the members of the council that they could do the work fully as well as the Municipal Company. Many of the members also looked at the workings of the two systems in different cities, and were satisfied that the Gamewell company was doing all that was required in Newton.

At the public hearing also, the Municipal experts were very unsatisfactory in their testimony and prejudiced their case in the minds of all who were not already committed to them. In addition, the provision that the city must take the whole charge of the system, after it was once put up, and that the Municipal company declined to be responsible for its care or maintenance or repairs, for even a brief period of time, made the majority think that they did not care to buy "a pig in a poke." Besides, the Municipal system was to cost a thousand dollars more, and it did not seem wise to throw that sum of money away for nothing.

The Gamewell company is a home com-

pany and the City Council has set a worthy example in patronizing home industries. They pay large taxes every year, and with the new buildings they propose to put up, these taxes will be increased, and the plan to remove the company to Upper Falls will be good news to that village, where such a solid manufacturing company will be a welcome addition to the manufacturing industries of that place. If other places are so anxious to have the company locate in their midst, that they are offering free building sites, freedom from taxes for a term of years, and other advantages, surely Newton would be very foolish not to try to keep the company here, especially when they can give just as good service, to say the least, as a foreign corporation. It is a matter for congratulation that the matter is settled, and that we shall soon have a police signal system. Work will probably begin within a very few days, as soon as the contract can be signed and the preliminaries arranged.

## THE STATE CAMPAIGN.

The Republican State convention has settled the question of a candidate for governor, and although Mr. Crapo was not chosen, the number of votes he received was a splendid endorsement of his fitness for the place, coming as they did from the best element of the party. A little more practical work in getting out voters to the caucuses would have nominated him, but unfortunately the men who generally attend the caucuses and run the "machine" were on the other side, and the Brackett movement was in charge of very skillful politicians. There is nothing to be said against Mr. Brackett personally, and we hope he will have the courage to break loose from the "State House traditions" of the past few years and make a return to the policy followed by earlier governors and which Mr. Crapo would have followed.

Mr. Haile was nominated for lieutenant governor, and this was an admirable selection and will strengthen the ticket. The remainder of the old ticket was nominated, as it ought to have been, as there were no reasons for making any change.

The resolutions were of the usual character, but the planks in relation to civil service reform, and asking that in Massachusetts appointments the President shall appoint the men who "represent and are thoroughly acceptable to the great body of this state," and pledging him the support of the Republicans of Massachusetts in his endeavors to extend the law regulating the civil service "and to root out the evil of patronage" seem rather conflicting. Popular sentiment carried the insertion of an appeal to our Senators and Congressmen "to urge and support a thorough and equitable revision of the tariff, so as to adapt it to changed business conditions affecting New England industries." This is an excellent recommendation and shows that we are becoming emancipated from our bondage to Pennsylvania. On state issues the platform is sound, and it is altogether an excellent document.

Chairman Robinson's speech showed the lack of any very exciting issues now before the country, but the party will hardly endorse his recommendation to take off the taxes on whiskey and tobacco. Those taxes cause no suffering, and it is certainly the statesmanlike policy to tax luxuries rather than necessities. Indeed, judging from the recent increase in the public debt, the revenue from these taxes cannot be dispensed with.

## MR. GILMAN'S LETTER.

In another column we give a letter from Representative Gilman, in reply to the Nationalist appeal, and it will be found to be interesting reading. Mr. Gilman takes a very optimistic view of his associates in the last legislature, and thinks that they were unjustly characterized by the Nationalists, which shows Mr. Gilman's kindness of heart, and his desire to think the best of everybody. Even the lobby, he thinks, is not as black as it is painted, and the lobbyists themselves are evidently proud of their business, as they boast of it and celebrate it with a public dinner. According to the quotations of what the lobbyists say, they are great public benefactors, and the legislature could hardly get along without them, and do its work creditably. The old fashioned and the right way nevertheless would seem to be to consider a question on its merits, without regard to what may be said by the man hired to advocate the passage of a bill, whether they be ex-governors, ex-congressmen, ex-speakers, or ex-anything, whose name and reputation makes the corporations willing to pay a high price for their services. It would be ridiculous, for instance, to imagine George Washington, after his retirement from the Presidency, as willing to attempt to influence the action of Congress, no matter what the size of the fee that was offered him. But in these days men can not afford to be so squeamish, and this is what the Nationalists mean, we suppose.

Mr. Gilman quotes a number of names of excellent men who now hold political office, but their influence somehow seems to be of little weight when compared with that of the Hills and Dudleys and Quays and Gormans, who are now in control of our politics. Neither party has a monopoly of the men of shady character, any more than it has of the virtuous, and what would be considered bad morals in private business is too generally thought to be not only justifiable but perfectly proper in politics. Smartness too often takes the place of honesty, and success atones for everything. The fact that a widespread protest is being made, that such a large minority are restless under the unworthy leadership forced upon them, and even the appeal of the Nationalists, exaggerated though it may be, shows that a reaction is setting in, in fa-

vor of a return to better methods. It is this which gives good hope of the future of the Republic. We have plenty of good men, and if the people can only be roused to attend the caucuses, the nomination of the best men can be secured, and ability, fitness and character will again be the tests.

Now that the governorship question is settled, Newton people are beginning to discuss the candidates for Representatives the coming year. Mr. Gilman has served one term and according to the usual custom, will be given a renomination without opposition, as he has made a satisfactory representative. Mr. Slocum has had two terms and whether the custom of limiting a candidate to that period will be followed in his case is an interesting question. Ward Four people are making quite a movement in favor of ex-Alderman George M. Fiske, as they say it is their turn to name candidate this year, and a better man could not be chosen, as Mr. Fiske is a good Republican, a strong believer in temperance and civil service reform, and a Grand Army man. There may be a contest, if Mr. Slocum's friends desire to return him again. His experience and acquaintance with the legislators would give him a prominent place in the house, if he is again chosen.

VOTES in this city for the election Nov. 5th, 1890, will be cast for a Governor, Lieut. Governor, Councilor Dist. No. 3, Secretary, Treasurer and Receiver General, Auditor, Attorney General, Senator 2nd Middlesex Dist., 2 Representatives to General Court 16th Middlesex Dist., District Attorney Northern Dist., Sheriff for Middlesex Co., 3 Commissioners of Insolvency, 1 County Commissioner, 2 Special County Commissioners.

The Middlesex County Republican Convention will be held in Jackson Hall Lowell, Wednesday, October 2, at 10 o'clock. Nominations will be made for Sheriff, County Commissioner, District Attorney, and two Commissioners of Insolvency.

## REPRESENTATIVE GILMAN.

REPLIES TO THE CHARGES MADE BY THE NATIONALISTS.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC.

I am very much obliged to you for the privilege of another communication relative to the Nationalist appeal which as you say is causing much discussion and which appears to me to be very far out of the way in its description of the last legislature. If such characterizations as is printed in the case, then may we reverently say in words to which we are all accustomed "God save the Commonwealth of Massachusetts."

The first charge in the Appeal, that the quality and character of the legislature has been steadily declining from year to year, during the last decade, until now the General Court of 1889 is charged as being the most incompetent and corrupt body that ever sat in the State House. The legislature is composed of 240 members of the House of Representatives and forty members of the Senate, an average of one representative to about every ten thousand inhabitants of the state the constituents, who elect their representative men, are scattered from Cape Cod to the Berkshire Hills. It is claimed, and I think not without foundation, that our system of government has been elevated to that degree in these years so as to produce men of equal integrity and high sense of honor as that have preceded it. Will any candid person assume to declare that in the face of all facts, easily obtainable, that the people of this state have so far degenerated that they can send into the legislature a legislature that can be bought and sold like cattle in the shambles?

The address also states "that the legislature failed to carry out measures tending to secure purity of the ballot, and uphold the general welfare." The gentleman from Lynn who introduced and successfully carried through the Australian ballot bill at the legislature of '88 was also a member of '89, and can tell of his fellow members of the house who successfully resisted at the time to impair this important measure, and kept the sympathy of a large majority of the members in rendering the same, as far as was possible, more perfect in its details for the public good.

In your editorial you quote the Milford Journal's dictum "No member who voted for the Boston and Albany stock jibbery last season should be returned to the next legislature," which, if carried out, would exclude almost the entire delegations west of Boston on the heels of the B. & A. R. R. Most of the opposition to the increase of the capital stock came from members residing in other sections of the state.

Upon one other point regarding this matter there was a difference of opinion, and that was whether the new stock should be allowed to be taken by the stock holders or whether it should be sold at public auction. I sought advice myself from gentlemen largely connected with railroad interests and received conflicting opinions, some favoring one and some favoring the other. On the whole, it seemed to me to be just and fair that the stock holders should share a benefit, if any accrued, as the had shown their faith in the railroad by investing in its stock and also the fact that the stock was very largely held as trust funds and these would be benefited by it.

The GRAPHIC very pleasantly refers to Newton's representatives in the words "there were just as good men in the last legislature, no doubt, as were ever seen there, among them being the two representatives from Newton." Now as a matter of fact, both the Newton representatives voted for the Boston & Albany bill, and in doing it, we were probably actuated by the same facts and motives as animated other members of the house. I think I am speaking for Mr. Sloan in saying that both he and I would present any imputation that there were no many other men in the last house of representatives more able, as intelligent, and actuated as much by a desire for the public good as we were. Neither of us belonged to any "ring" or were influenced by "the lobby." Such purely

statements as those that have been made by certain Boston papers for political effect, and copied indiscriminately by others, have done more harm to the cause of good government in this state than their promoters probably conceive.

In a matter of moral and good government it may be noted that the legislature successfully passed the necessary laws to submit the Prohibitory amendment to the votes of the people of the state. Then was strong pressure by endeavors to influence the opinion of members, but with no success, as the vote of the members showed.

The legislature did its full duty in a mainly manner to this most important question and that the people did not see fit to accept it certainly can cast no reflection on the integrity of the members of the legislature. It is also charged that the legislature was the servant of "an unscrupulous and strong lobby." It also states "that a quarter of a century ago the Lobby was hardly known." In reply to this, I quote from one of the largest circulated and most influential newspapers in New England. "In the light of evolution, our legislative lobby of to-day is far in advance of what it was even twenty years ago, that is in practices, and comprehensive measures. Formerly members were won to the support of a measure by social considerations of a peculiar and even questionable character. The country member was taken in hand, shown the 'elephant,' a dinner or supper at some leading hotel, a tour of the city between ten at night and the same hour in the morning to see the sights, and the country member was willing to do anything. Filled with wine and a full stomach, he was ready to promise anything to please his entertainers." Such is the picture as it was drawn of that time. The same paper continues "but since that day, and the triumph of the old lobby, there have been marvelous changes in our industry and commercial affairs. With vast interest, at stake, is it any wonder that less reliance was placed on the old lobby system for giving satisfaction. In these days, it is considered fair play to allow a man to testify in his own behalf."

I quote from an interview in the same paper referred to above from a gentleman of the 3rd House who said frankly, "lobbying is our business. We do not deny it and consider it perfectly legitimate. To illustrate, an important measure is sought for before the Legislature, the merits of the case and the merits of the consideration and report. When the hearing is held, counsel is generally employed in the interests of those who work for the legislation that they may better explain to the committee the merits of the case and show that the measure asked for is needed; others are employed in opposition, to endeavor if possible to defeat it by argument or other means best known to the legal profession. No one blames a lawyer for using his best endeavors for the interests employed. This is all that the lobbyist does. We endeavor to enlighten members as to the merits of a cause, and hold to that fact as legitimately as the lawyer for the same cause. It may cost money to carry any measure, it does not follow that a legislator's vote has been purchased at a cash rate. I do not say that they may not have been paid, but I will say that I do not know of any about it. Neither does it by any means follow that if the services of the lobby are not secured, that they arrange themselves in opposition to the measures that are sought for. If it be one of public utility, we do not oppose it. On the contrary, there are measures that come up where our services are not engaged, where we do all we can to see a matter of general interest carried through, but when private interest comes up and tries to obtain legislation, we feel free to disagree with the merits of the case and express our opinion, as any one else has a right to do. The gentlemen connected with a lobby or known as members of the third house may be found in the corridors and waiting room at the State House, ever ready to impart information, courteous and obliging, and appear to be simply looking after the interests, as they claim, legitimately entrusted to their keeping." The appeal makes special mention of the fact of a public dinner held by members of the Third House at the close of the last session, to which also I have called my attention. A daily paper in noticing it says, "one peculiarity of this feast was the entire absence of whiskey, punch, champagne or wine. There was not a particle of it in the banquet hall." Surely they could not be charged as being intemperate in drinking whatever else there may be against them and they at least set a good example that others may follow. A garbled quotation is given of a sentiment that was proposed instead of being as quoted "To the member who has one hand upon the pulse of labor and the other on the pulse of capital," the daily paper referred to gives it simply "Labor and the public pulse," (surely nothing very revolutionary in that) which was responded to by a gentleman who said he had for thirty years been a defender of the laboring man, compensation, a very noticeable difference in the sentiment as quoted, and the sentiment as given.

In referring to the communication signed by "Citizen" which you published last week, you referred to the above dinner, evidently under a misapprehension of facts.

With regard to the political leaders of to-day as compared with those of the past, allow me to ask if you think it quite fair to institute a comparison between the Lincoln, Sewall, Chase, Sumner and other national leaders of former days who have made our history in the last 25 years and have won most honorable distinction, and those who are engaged in the politics of to-day such as Quay, Governor Hill, Mahone and others? You seem to forget the political leaders of the present, Hoar, Long, Edmunds, Rollins, Hawley, Anthony, Reid and others that are foremost among those who have guided our political affairs and who enjoy the confidence of the people. Permit me to ask whose fault it is if good men to-day are not in political life? Surely they can be found if sought for. The last legislature contained men of national reputation on the great moral and educational questions of to-day and as far as the House is concerned, they passed some of the very measures which the "Appeal" claims should be sought for and did all in their power in that direction.

In reference to the speaker it may be stated there can be but one man elected to the speakership, and he has but little influence "in controlling legislation."

He is the presiding officer and may have in his power to expedite business and forward legislation, but the House would be very reticent under any officer attempting to control their actions.

The Republican convention has selected one of two worthy gentlemen to be the gubernatorial candidate of their party. There was an honorable competition, frank and friendly. Let all good citizens, republicans at least, endeavor to secure the election of Mr. Crapo's personal friend, Hon. J. Q. A. Brackett.

Yours truly,  
G. D. GILMAN.

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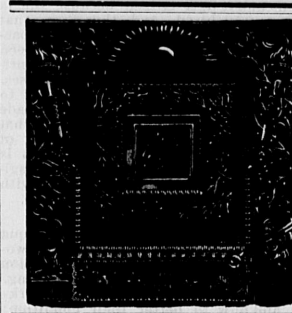
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QUINN-MURRAY-At Newton, Sept. 25, by Rev. Michael Dolan, Daniel Quinn and Joanna Murray.

## DIED.

RAND-At Newton, Sept. 26, Charles F. Rand, in his 69th year, Funeral Saturday, at 2 o'clock, at the chapel of Eliot church.

IRELAND-At Newton, Sept. 21, Sarah A. Ireland, aged 69 years, 1 month, 21 days.

NICHOLSON-At Newton, Sept. 25, George D. Nicholson, aged 1 month, 12 days.

THORPE-At West Newton, Sept. 25, Rebecca Thorpe, aged 72 years, 4 days.

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## NEWTONVILLE.

—What's the matter with Turner—he's all right.  
—Woodman's base ball puzzle sold at Taintor's.  
—There is a great demand for domestics in this ward.

—Mr. A. A. Savage will return from Marshfield, Oct. 1.

—Mrs. C. D. Cabot is recovering from a very serious illness.

—Mr. George Clark is building a new house on Cabot street.

—Call for the genuine Woodman's Base Ball Puzzle at Taintor's.

—A. L. Gardner, the cornetist, has removed to Boston Highlands.

—It is understood that the electric cars will be propelled by horses this winter.

—Mr. George H. Hill has returned from his trip to Shirley Hill, Goffstown, N. H.

—Mrs. E. F. Miller has a fine assortment of millinery at her rooms in Eagle block.

—Mr. E. A. Philpen and family, Kimball Terrace, have returned from the seashore.

—The employees of the highway department are engaged in repairing Watertown street.

—The Clafin school will reopen Monday next, when the regular sessions will be resumed.

—Representative W. S. Slocum was on the committee on credentials at the state convention.

—Miss Jennie Preston has returned from North Falmouth where she has been spending her vacation.

—Mr. E. E. Estes and family have returned from Green Harbor, after a very pleasant vacation.

—Mr. H. F. Ross is building a new house for Mr. H. H. Sacker, corner of Walnut and Clyde streets.

—Messrs. Fuller & French have rented Mr. McAdam's house on Brooks avenue to Mr. Joseph Butler.

—Mrs. Trowbridge, Walnut street, has been quite seriously ill, but is somewhat improved in health.

—Repairs will probably be made soon on Tremont Hall and it will be fitted up for lodge room purposes.

—Some changes will be made in the roster of the high school battalion which will be announced later.

—Miss Batchelder, the assistant at the postoffice, is away this week on account of the serious illness of her mother.

—F. B. Sisson, formerly with J. D. Billings, has opened a carpenter shop on the Adams place, Washington street.

—Mr. Henry F. Ross left here Tuesday afternoon for New York City. He will be absent a few days on a business trip.

—Mr. H. P. Dearborn met with an accident last Friday, striking a meat hook into his hand and receiving a painful wound.

—Rev. John Worcester and family returned Tuesday from Intervale, N. H., where they have been spending the summer.

—D. C. Heath & Co. are among American publishers who have made fine exhibits of educational works at the Paris Exposition.

—Mr. D. R. Lyons spent Sunday at Pad-dock's Island. The trip to and return was made in a pretty yacht owned by a Boston gentleman.

—Patrick Conolly and Angie Booth were married at the residence of Rev. F. Dolan Tuesday evening. They will reside on Murray street.

—Mrs. John Irving will return from New York, Monday. She has been there on a visit, but unfortunately has been quite ill during her absence.

—Mr. J. H. Packard and family who have been occupying Mr. W. F. Kimball's house on Harvard street have removed to Chester Park, Boston.

—The tracks of the Newton Street Railway Company will be laid on the side of Washington street between the truck station and Greenwood avenue.

—Mr. W. H. Mendell, representing the Gamewell Fire Alarm and Police Signal company, attended the annual meeting of the board of aldermen Monday evening.

—The Newtons and West Newtons will play a game of ball on the Magnolia grounds Saturday afternoon for a purse of \$50. An exciting contest may be anticipated.

—Mr. D. R. Lyons, clerk at H. P. Dearborn's market, has accepted a position with Messrs. Stone & Peirce, produce and provision dealers, Boston. He will commence his new duties Monday.

—James Kelley and John Byrne were arraigned in the police last Friday for the larceny of a banjo and some clothing from John Fells, an employee of J. T. Hill. Both were found guilty and sentenced to 15 months each in the house of correction.

—The new building on Washington street which is being built by Edward Hodgson is speedily assuming form and shape. The roof of the old building in the rear which connects with the new building will be raised to a corresponding height.

—Rev. Pleasant Hunter, Jr., will deliver the closing sermon to the members of the Central Congregational church, Sunday morning. He leaves for Newark, N. J., with his family, Monday. The church is of his former parishioners and the community attend him in his new pastoral relations.

—The Boston Traveller says: Certain churches seem to be fortunate in securing popular pastors, and one of the best having them go to larger churches. The Newtonville Congregational Church has within a few years lost three able men called to other fields.

—Rev. Rufus A. White was one of the principal delegates to the annual session of the Universalist convention at Fitchburg, yesterday, speaking on the topic of charity work. Mr. C. Robinson was elected one of the lay delegates to the general convention.

—Officer Bosworth, found Fred Rublee, 3 years of age, on Washington street Monday afternoon. The little fellow had strayed from his home in West Newton and was unable to tell his name. A description of the child was sent to the central station and later his parents came for him at Officer Bosworth's house, where he had a good supper and was happy and contented.

—Thursday evening about forty comrades from Post 62, of Newtonville, paid a fraternal visit to Post G. A. H. of Lynn. The work of muster-in of candidates was exemplified by Post 5 in a manner that received the highest commendation from the visitors. Commander Whitney, of Post 5, made a very interesting address and he was followed by several other comrades of his post, who had attended the recent National Convention at Milwaukee in company with Commander Hill, of Post 5. Comrade Bradshaw, of Post 62, a member of Co. H, 39th Mass. Vols., whose reunion he had recently attended, read a poem, which he dedicated to Post 5 in the name of Post 62.

—There was quite a large gathering last evening in the parlor of the Central Congregational church, Newtonville, upon the occasion of a farewell reception tendered to Rev. Pleasant Hunter, Jr., for the past three years pastor of that church. The room was prettily decorated with wild flowers and autumn leaves. After the usual social features, the goodbyes were spoken and the last kindly words exchanged between a loved pastor and his parishioners. Among those present were Rev. R. A. White, Rev. John Worcester and Rev. G. S. Butters. Rev. Mr. Hunter leaves here Monday for Newark, N. J., to assume new duties as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in that city.

—The opening reception of the Newtonville Woman's Guild will take place at the residence of Mrs. Chas. F. West, Newtonville, on Wednesday, Oct. 2nd, from 3 to 5 p. m. The following is the list of officers for the coming year: President, Mrs. Geo. R. Hill; vice presidents, Mrs. G. F. Kimball, Mrs. E. W. Redpath, Mrs. D. S. Simpson, Mrs. H. F. Ross; recording secretary, Mrs. Walter L. Chaloner; corresponding secretary, Miss Mary W. Hallett; treasurer, Mrs. Geo. P. Cooke; auditor, Mrs. G. S. Butters; directors, chairman educational committee, Mrs. John Martin, 4 years; chairman hospital committee, Mrs. L. R. Thayer, 4 years; chairman charitable committee, Mrs. J. N. Allen, 3 years; chairman industrial committee, Mrs. G. B. Macomber, 3 years; chairman social committee, Mrs. J. L. Roberts and Mrs. E. A. White, 2 years; Mrs. A. H. Soden and Mrs. A. T. Sylvester, 1 year.

—An ecclesiastical council met in the Central Congregational church, Tuesday afternoon, and acted upon the resignation of Rev. Pleasant Hunter, Jr., pastor of the Central church. It was composed of the following persons: D. S. Farthing, Newton Centre; Rev. H. J. Patrick, William Bosworth, West Newton; Rev. Calvin Cutler, Rev. H. A. Hazen, Auburndale; Rev. W. Jacob Fullerton, Boston; Rev. Elijah Horr, D. D., East Boston; Rev. A. H. Quint, D. D., B. Bailey, Allston. The call was read by Rev. Henry J. Patrick and the organization then proceeded with, resulting in the choice of Rev. A. H. Quint, D. D., moderator; Rev. H. A. Hazen, scribe. The resignation of Rev. Mr. Hunter, and the action of the church in accepting it, given from the records. It appeared from the records that the church and society had voted to accept the resignation, although regretting the loss of their pastor whose labors among them had been very successful. The committee appointed on the part of the church to unite with Rev. Mr. Hunter in issuing the call for the council was Messrs. W. F. Slocum, G. W. Green, Austin Sherman; committee of the society, C. E. Roberts, H. C. Hayden, E. W. Green. After the reading of the resignation and records concerning it, the council went into executive session. In public session the action was announced. The council voted unanimously approving the resignation of Rev. Mr. Hunter, and disapproving the ecclesiastical relation between him and the Central Congregational church. Rev. Mr. Hunter accepted a call to Newark, N. J., and leaves here for his new home and new pastoral duties, Monday.

## WEST NEWTON.

—Woodman's base ball puzzle at Stacey's.

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—Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Breck of Boston are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Eddy, Cherry street.

—Mr. Nathaniel T. Lane left here Monday on a three weeks' business trip through the West.

—Miss Emma L. Nickerson will resume her dancing classes in Nickerson's Hall, early in November.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Colby will be at home Wednesday evenings in October at their residence in Everett.

—F. L. Stoddard furnished the carriages for the Spooner-Batchelder wedding in Auburndale, Wednesday evening.

—The West Newtons and Newtons will play ball Saturday afternoon for a purse of \$50, on the Magnolia grounds.

—Miss Grace L. Lemon has returned from Newport, and is now ready to receive her pupils for the season 1889-90.

—Messrs. J. C. Fuller & French have rented Mr. C. M. Whittlesey's residence, Cherry street, to Mr. Geo. Gibson, of Boston.

—Francis F. Hussey has resigned his position as janitor of the Unitarian church, and Thomas N. Bruce has been appointed to fill the vacancy.

—Mr. F. C. Sheridan attended the funeral of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ledwith, of Canton, Monday. The couple died Sunday of heart disease, within 2 hours of each other.

—A "peerless" recording pressure gauge has been placed in the office of the water registrar. It gives a continuous record of the water pressure in the numerous mains throughout the city.

—Rev. Mr. Ryder will speak this (Friday) evening in the chapel of the Congregational church, at 7.45, giving an account of his late observations of the work in the South among the Freedmen.

—City Marshal Richardson is enjoying a few days in the vicinity of Cohasset, and he has met with great success and captured a bag of game while out on a raid for wild birds.

—"Gen" Thomas E. Moore of Brooklyn, N. Y., led a "heaven on earth" meeting in Allen's Hall, Thursday evening. Rev. Fritz L. Simons, the saved child boy, and other Salvationists assisted in the services.

—A jolly picnic party went from this place through Waltham to Wayland, Monday. At Waltham there was an incident connected with the program, the baggage being overturned and the occupants shaken up rather unexpectedly.

—On Friday evening next a concert will be given in Allen's Hall for the benefit of the colored Old Fellows' lodge about to be organized here. The ticket prices are: Mrs. Wilson, soprano; John Falcon, tenor; Wm. Wilbur, baritone soloist.

—A grand concert, under the auspices of the Lattimer Christian Endeavor society will be given in the City Hall Wednesday evening, Oct. 21. The program includes a quartet, Miss Fannie C. B. Hadley, reader, and other talent has been engaged.

—A pleasant surprise was given to Rev. H. J. Patrick and his wife at the parsonage the other evening, when quite a number of friends and neighbors came to the parsonage without invitation to remind them of the anniversary of their wedding day, 29 years ago, and left their gifts with their love.

—Next week is missionary week with many churches. There will be a union service in the chapel of the Congregational church on Wednesday evening at 7.30 p. m. Rev. Mr. Porter of Lexington lately returned from a tour around the world, and will give an account of his observations among the missionary stations.

—W. H. Mague, the contractor for the health department, has put on 4 fine carts made expressly for him by Abbott & Downing, Concord, the well known carriage and wagon builders. The new carts are similar to those used in the Boston health department. The bodies are painted blue, with red and black running gear.

—Mrs. Rebecca Thorpe died at the residence of Mr. Richard Rowe, Monday. The deceased was aged 72 years, 4 days. She was the mother of Mrs. Rowe, and had many other family members.

—The board of health, Saturday last, visited Elm street and decided to ask the city council for \$1,000 for the drainage of that locality in addition to its regular appropriation for next year. Murray street and Clinton street were also visited and it was voted to give hearings on the Murray street drainage next Tuesday, on the Clinton street matter at the second meeting of the board in October.

—The following comprises the list of election officers in this ward: H. C. Wood, warden; F. E. Hunter, deputy warden; M. F. Hagedorn, clerk; Eugene F. Conroy, deputy clerk; Arthur K. Coe, F. H. Humph-

rey, A. Stuart Pratt, Geo. L. V. Tyler, inspectors; E. L. Lemon, F. C. Sheridan, C. Kimball, Mrs. E. W. Redpath, Mrs. D. S. Simpson, Mrs. H. F. Ross; recording secretary, Mrs. Walter L. Chaloner; corresponding secretary, Miss Mary W. Hallett; treasurer, Mrs. Geo. P. Cooke; auditor, Mrs. G. S. Butters; directors, chairman educational committee, Mrs. John Martin, 4 years; chairman hospital committee, Mrs. L. R. Thayer, 4 years; chairman charitable committee, Mrs. J. N. Allen, 3 years; chairman industrial committee, Mrs. G. B. Macomber, 3 years; chairman social committee, Mrs. J. L. Roberts and Mrs. E. A. White, 2 years; Mrs. A. H. Soden and Mrs. A. T. Sylvester, 1 year.

—There will be anniversary services at the Congregational church next Sunday morning, it being 29 years since the present parsonage was installed over the church. A praise service will be held in the evening at 7 o'clock in the church, when the pastor will speak of "Bona and hymns," and give a sketch of the life of the distinguished writer who died the past summer. The choir will render several of his hymns as arranged by Mr. Trowbridge.

—The water board is nearly ready to report to the city council in regard to high water service. The members of the board have given a large amount of time and study to the matter, in order to give to the people of Newton as thoroughly satisfactory high service system as can be found in suburban cities elsewhere. The board has been criticized by residents on account of what seemed unnecessary delay in introducing the high service system, but the matter has not been neglected; on the contrary, it has been given the most careful and thorough consideration, and the result will be more satisfactory to the people for the reason that they will get in the end a better system.

—J. Wiley Edmonds camp, Sons of Veterans, held their regular meeting last Monday evening. Comrade Sweetland of Most 2 was present and spoke to the camp in a very interesting and entertaining manner, telling some of his experiences in the rebellion. Wishing to raise money for the purpose of securing arms, a petition is in the hands of each member, for the purpose of securing as many subscriptions as possible. The camp will participate in the prize drill and parade at Waltham, on the evening of Oct. 11th, taking the horse cars at West Newton.

—Now that the city has adopted a police signal system, it has been suggested that a new police station should be built, provided with offices and sleeping apartments. At present the city has only three lock-ups, poorly provided with cell room and with no accommodations in the way of sleeping rooms. It is proposed to increase the number of patrolmen, and to secure a continuous patrol of the city, and in order to do it, proper sleeping rooms must be provided for the men on the night relief. Newtonville would be the most central and desirable location for the new station.

—The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Caleb F. Eddy, Cherry street, was the scene of a large social gathering last evening, in celebration of the wedding reception of Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Whittlesey. Over 100 guests were present, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Slocum, Mr. and Mrs. W. Jacob Fullerton, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. James C. Nickerson, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon E. Carpenter, Mr. Frank and Mrs. H. A. Barker, of this city, and other prominent society people from West Newton and other places. The young couple received in the parlor which was tastefully decorated with baskets of flowers and potted plants. The congratulations and good wishes of numerous friends were pressed in pleasant words with the added hope for a future bright with continued happiness and prosperity. The presents included a collection of silver spoons and forks, for Mr. John Eddy, the bride's uncle; checks for \$300, each of very handsome decorated china plates, Mr. A. D. Bosson, Chelsea; diamond pin, set of silver spoons, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Eddy; elegant silver tea service, Mr. George Eddy; china set, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whittlesey, and many other valuable and useful presents. An elegant collection of silver spoons, Mr. Lee of the Woodland Park Hotel and the usual pleasant, social features were enjoyed.

## AUBURDALE.

—Mr. E. B. Haskell is at the Rangleys Lakes.

—Rev. Mr. Metcalf is in Worcester for the musical festival.

—Miss Louise Imogene Guiney will pass the winter in London.

—Miss Helen Kendall has been seriously injured by a fall from a hammock, in Newmarket, N. H.

—The annual meeting of the Women's Guild of the Church of the Messiah occurs on Tuesday next.

—Dr. Charles Gilbert of Washington, D. C., is spending a few days with Mr. Ralph Davenport, Charles street.

—A full dress hop will be given in the Woodland Park Hotel, Saturday evening. Dancing from 8 until 12 o'clock.

—We have had an unwonted sight in our streets for a few days—A high caste Brahmin with his wife, in costume. They are at the missionary home.

—The annual meeting of the Auburndale Village Improvement society occurs Thursday evening, Oct. 3rd, in the old Williams' school building at 7.30 p. m.

—Rev. Mr. Adams, who is boarding at Mrs. Walker's with his family, has purchased a lot fronting on Hancock street, from Rev. I. R. Worcester. He will build a house in the spring.

—Church of the Messiah, Sunday, Sept. 29, Michaelmas Day, is the Parish Festival, since eight years ago on this day the first service (a celebration of the Holy Communion) was held in the church. Services on Sunday: Holy Communion, 9.45; Matins, 10.15; Evensong, 4.15.

—The third in the series of promenade concerts under the auspices of the Newton Boat Club was given in the clubhouse, Riverside, Saturday evening. Music was furnished by Robinson's orchestra and about 100 couples participated in the pleasures of the occasion. In the afternoon, preceding the concert, a tennis tournament was held. In the singles, Howland beat Vorse 6-2, 6-2. The finals will be played next Saturday afternoon. Warner and Jordan will play, the winner to play Howland to decide first prize. In the doubles, Howland and Warner beat Crane and Vorse 6-4, 6-3, 6-2. Howland and Warner played a strong game. The first two sets were very close, and the third was a deuce set. The last in the series of entertainments will be held next Saturday when a light collation will be served.

—Miss Hattie S. Batchelder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Batchelder, of West Newton, was married Monday evening in the Congregational church. The auditorium was prettily decorated with flowers and the bride's entrance of the side aisles, facing the pulpit, arches of foliage were placed. The church was completely filled with the friends of the bride and groom, many good friends and society people were present. The bride wore a heavy tulle veil with point lace, and carried a beautiful bouquet of white roses. The usual long tulle veil was caught up with diamond ornaments. The bridesmaids were dressed in costumes of white china silk, elaborately trimmed with silk lace and ribbons, with pearl ornaments. The ushers were Messrs. A. E. Carr, E. E. Chesley, W. H. Draper, J. L. Batchelder, Jr., G. L. Batchelder and J. P. B. Fiske. At the conclusion of the ceremony a largely attended reception was held at the residence of the bride's mother, Aspen avenue. The young couple received the congratulations of their numerous friends and host of good wishes for their future happiness and prosperity. They were the recipients of many beautiful

and valuable presents. After the reception Mr. and Mrs. Spooner started on their wedding tour, and upon their return will reside in Auburndale.

## Lasell Notes.

Lasell seminary opened Sept. 18th. A large class of new pupils had been received and classified on the 16th, and 17th. The school building being full, a few pupils have been allowed to room but-side, with the probability of being admitted to the building after a while. The gymnasium proper will not open until some weeks later, but Miss Hanson has arrived in order to begin the swimming classes.

—Misses Farwell and Call are back from their European travels, with fresh vigor and delightful memories.

—Dr. Champlin, who filled the position for a short time two years ago, has taken the place of Dr. M. Kent, as resident physician.

—Miss Shinn of Newton, teacher of Greek Latin, who was last year a day teacher, has now become a resident in the school. Miss Sarah M. Corey, who resigned at the end of last year, married Rev. Mr. Henry E. Bray and is now living in Wareham. She is sincerely loved by her teachers and pupils. On Wednesday, the 25th, being in Auburndale to attend the wedding of her friend, Miss Batchelder, she made a short stay at the school and was cordially welcomed by all.

Lasell frequently receives the sisters of former pupils, now and then the daughters; of the latter there was one case this year. Miss Lulu Winslow, Miss Helena Pfau, who has returned from abroad, brought a younger sister, Miss Gussie Lowe escorted down. Already three of Prof. Lowe's daughters are graduates. Miss Lowe remained several days. Mrs. Hanner of Hartford brought a younger daughter than Hattie, who is now a matron in a home of her own.

Mrs. Kennard came with her husband from New York, and was Miss M. A. a pupil of some six years ago. Miss Helen Thirsher was among the old girls who came for a brief time.

On Saturday evening the gymnasium was made a reception hall for the introduction and entertainment of the new pupils. An extra half hour was allowed and the meriment was kept up until the arrival of ice cream and cake reminded the party that this was the last of the ceremonies.

Dean Wright of Chautauque fame began a series of lectures on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, the Bible upon the subject of his plea for the study of the scriptures. He did not believe in trusting to the minister or any other agent in a matter so vital.

The Temperance society held its session to renew the usual work. The Lasella club and the S. D. society have both begun active business and brought themselves again into working order. On Sunday evening a praise service was held in the chapel. The Amphion quartet was present, and very kindly sung several tunes to the delight of all hearers.

On Monday a party visited Bunker Hill and Charlestown Navy Yard. There were some among those who climbed to the top of the monument, who then saw old ocean for the first time in their lives.

Miss Emma Roth, who spent the year of 87-88 at Lasell, is now teaching with the Misses Allen at Newton. She comes often to Lasell to visit her sister.

The Lasell Mission society held an irregular meeting on Sunday and proposed sending a box of Christmas gifts to the Lasell Mission school at Moradabad, Ind. The box will contain toys and attractive trifles pleasing to children. It is to be sent this week.

## Y. M. C. A.

The meeting was largely attended last Sabbath afternoon, and took the form of a gospel service. A quartet consisting of Miss Fannie Barber, Mrs. Hiram Leonard, and Messrs. Frank and Fletcher Barber, rendered several selections. The time was well improved and all felt profited from the meeting. Rev. Pleasant Hunter who was announced to speak next Sunday is unavoidably detained, but Rev. G. S. Butters of the Newtonville M. E. church, will address the meeting. All are invited. Come and make the meeting one of profit and enjoyment.

The attention of our readers is called to the advertisement in another column of Frank J. Pope, Art Goods and Artists Materials. Picture Framing done in the best possible manner at his store, 38 West street, Boston.

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As required by Chap. 200, Sec. 3, Acts of 1888.

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## The Elxir of Life at Oak Hill.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC.

Some of our citizens have been inclined to question the claim that the Oak Hill district of the city is the most healthful portion of our territory. Some have evidently overlooked the fact that people live there to a good old age and apparently seem to wear out after they have enjoyed many years of life and happiness. Let us look at some of the personal history of this favored spot for a moment.

Deacon Eben Stone died a few years ago at the age of 72 years, and he passed the larger part of his life on Dedman street. Across the street from Deacon Stone lived David Stone, who died a few years ago at the age of 79 years. Deacon Stone has a son living who moved from Oak Hill to the vicinity of Taunton a few years since, and is 60 years of age. Mr. David Stone has a son living who is 62 years of age, and likely to reach his father's 70 years.

Near the school house we find the following items of personal history: Mrs. Hall, mother of David, died within a year or two, at the age of 80. Her son, Mr. David Hall, is 68 years of age, and she has a daughter living who is 65. In the immediate vicinity Mr. Butters is living at the age of 78 years. His wife is 82 years of age, and he has a son who is 53 years of age. Mr. Amos Estee died recently at the age of 85 years. His wife is still living, having passed 85 years. His son is 55 years of age. In the same neighborhood live Mr. and Mrs. Noah King at an age somewhere between 70 and 75 years, and Mr. James Smith, who has passed his 73rd.

To your correspondent it is quite a record, showing most conclusively that Oak Hill possesses some remarkable life-preserving qualities. Does any one feel surprised to learn that Dr. Bigelow has built him a mansion in this locality? And Hon. Levi C. Wade, who evidently wishes to make his mark as a good citizen in this world, has also erected a splendid dwelling on Oak Hill, and no one can tell how soon the keen perception and excellent judgment of other men will lead them to occupy the accessible territory of this region, where they can establish themselves amid the delightful surroundings of beautiful landscape and invigorating atmosphere. There is more land to be occupied, and wise men will soon build the altars of home on its inviting bosom.

By the way, Mr. Editor, I came very near overlooking the fact that Mr. Conrad Decker, who also lives not far from Dr. Bigelow, is about 75 years of age, and gives evidence of unusual vigor for a man of his years. Mr. James S. Carey is also about 75 years of age. This completes the list of the aged worthies of the locality. And thus does Oak Hill crown her sons and daughters with the glories of a long and sunny afternoon of life.

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## LIST OF NEW BOOKS.

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| Allsop, F. C. Practical Electric Bell Fitting; a Treatise on the Fitting-up and Maintenance of Electric Bells and All the Necessary Apparatus.                   | 102.508 |
| Bridger, A. E. Man and his Maladies, or the Way to Health; a Popular Handbook of Physiology and Domestic Medicine in Accord with the Advance in Medical Science. | 102.507 |
| Cressy, Sir Edw. The Imperial and Colonial Constitution of the Britannic Empire; including Indian Institutions.  | 86.57   |
| Crowquill, A. Seymour's Humorous Sketches; comprising 36 Capital and Verses; with Biog. Notice of R. Seymour by H. G. Bohn.                                      | 57.218  |
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| Dennis, J. Heroes of Literature; English Poets; a Book for Young Readers.  | 91.555  |
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| Summers, J. C., ed. "Who Won?" the Official Yacht Record and Illustrated Pocket Register, 1899.  | 101.437 |
| Tincker, M. A. Two Coronets.   | 66.625  |
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## New Music.

The follow new music has been received from Arthur P. Schmidt & Co., 13 West street, Boston: Vocal: "Eros," and "Oh, What Comes Over the Sea," Margaret Rutledge Lang; "The Time I've Lost in Woe," Chas. Tiney, for ladies voices; "The Violet," "Sweet and Low," and "The Ancestral Song," G. P. Ritter. For pianoforte, Staccato Etude, C. Czerny; Easy Exercises, M. Kohler. For organ: March Heroique, Fredrick Maxsen.

## Fir Stronger Than Oak.

It is generally supposed that oak is much stronger than fir, but a series of tests made recently at the car shops of the Northern Pacific railroad, in Tacoma, Washington Territory, shows that the reverse is actually the case. The tests were made by actual breaking strain, on sticks two by four inches and four feet long, the weight being applied in the middle of a span of three feet nine inches. The results of five tests were as follows: First, an old piece of yellow fir, six years exposed to the weather, broke at 3062 pounds; second, a new soft piece of fine-grain yellow fir broke at 3062 pounds; third, old piece of yellow fir, coarse grain and hard, broke short at 4320 pounds; fourth, a new piece of fir from the butt of a tree coarse grain, broke with a stringy fracture at 3035 pounds; fifth, a new piece of Michigan oak broke nearly short off at a weight of 2425 pounds. The deflections before breaking were as follows: The first and second pieces, half an inch; third, three eighths of an inch; fourth, five-eighths of an inch; fifth, the oak piece, one inch and an eighth.

## Young Men in Politics.

(From the Springfield Union.)

Some of the "young men" who have got into Massachusetts politics recently on the strength of their youth, seem to have the idea that they own the earth. But we believe the last legislature did not pass any bill disfranchising Republicans who have grown gray working and fighting for Republicanism. Youth is very well in its way, but for a steady diet, most people want something more than boyhood and the Republic of Massachusetts have had about all the alleged meat of that kind they want for the present. If there is going to be a Republican party in Massachusetts for either young men or old men, this non-sensical floundering about the extraordinary smutiness and wisdom of "men under 30" should be energetically squelched. A man over 30 is just as good as a man under 30, if he behaves himself, and some of those dapper young fellows whose chief political principle is to take the honors and offices, should give their mouths and pens a rest.

"Darling," said the young man, as he tenderly raised the lovely head from the place where it had rested an hour or more, got up, sat down again on the other side of the beautiful maiden, and once more drew the golden curls to his bosom. "You have no objection to this slight change of position, have you?" "No, Alfred," she murmured, softly, "your heart is on this side." "Yes, my angel," responded the young man, his voice trembling with deep feeling, "and my vest will now be soiled alike on both sides."—[Chicago Tribune.]

"They use the Westinghouse air brake on all these cars," said Whitegoods to his companion, as the train rolled on. "That so?" replied Spices, wearily, looking at the porter with the air of a man who would like to commit murder on the spot. "I thought from the time that robber stirred us up it must be Earlyday break," And the train continued to roll on.—Burdette's Humor.

"You are working too hard," said the old subscriber to the editor. "You ought to have another man to help you. There's work enough for two men." "And have it done twice as bad as I do it now? Oh, no, and the editor snook his head gravely and proceeded with his work.—[Merchant Traveler.]

## The New Discovery.

You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it. You may yourself be one of the many who know from personal experience just how good a thing it is. If you have ever tried it, you are one of its staunch friends, because the wonderful thing about it, is that when once given a trial, Dr. King's New Discovery never after holds a place in the house. If you have never used it and should be afflicted with a cough, cold or any Throat, Lung or Chest trouble, secure a bottle at once and give it a fair trial. It is guaranteed every time, or money refunded. Trial bottles free at Arthur Hudson's Drugstore.

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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts.**  
MIDDLESEX, ss. PROBATE COURT.  
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Samuel W. Fletcher, late of Newton, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Sarah P. Fletcher and Francis Murdoch, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bond pursuant to said will and statute. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of October next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to get public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Newton Graphic, printed at Newton, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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### NEWTON CENTRE.

—Woodman's base ball puzzle at Woodman's.

—Mrs. Lennel C. Barnes has returned from Magnolia.

—Mr. Wm. B. Merrill has taken a house on Crescent avenue.

—Mr. C. D. Barry is to occupy a house on Parker street, shortly.

—Fred and Harry Bates return to Harvard College this week.

—Rev. H. L. Wheeler is spending a few days at Greenfield, Mass.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Stevens returned from their trip Saturday.

—Prof. Brown and family have returned from Hampton Falls, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Pratt are taking a few days' vacation this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Bassett have returned this week from Seaside.

—Call for the genuine Woodman's Base Ball Puzzle at W. F. Woodman's.

—Miss Kittie Davis is spending a few days in Connecticut, we understand.

—A select dancing school is to be opened at the Highlands, some time next month.

—Mr. C. M. Newton and family have returned to their residence on Beacon street.

—Capt. Dunn of Thomaston, Me., is visiting Mr. Chas. Copeland on Grant avenue.

—Mr. Warren Stetson and family are soon to return to their residence in Boston.

—Mr. Edward W. Noyes and family have returned from their cottage at North Scituate.

—The inspector found all in good order at the depot, on his visit Wednesday morning.

—Mr. W. F. Turner and family are expected home from Nantasket, next Monday.

—Mr. Henry Bailey of Beacon street has gone to Westchester, Pa., on a two weeks' trip.

—Ward street is being repaired and rolled, near Alderman Harbach's residence.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Davis are expected in New York next Sunday from Europe.

—A child of Chas. W. Stiekney died at the Newton Cottage Hospital, Wednesday morning.

—Mrs. Mamie Robbins of Worcester is visiting at her father's, Mr. Chas. E. Dudley's, on Station street.

—Miss Maria Richardson of Hubbardston is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. G. Brown, of Bowen street.

—Miss Emma Pope of Ridge avenue returned this week from Cotuit, Mass., where she has been for two weeks.

—Mr. Arthur Webster, who has spent two years or more in Germany in study, has been at home this week.

—Mr. Carlton E. Davis of Pelham street has returned from his scientific trip through many of the western states.

—Mrs. William E. Webster leaves this week for Syracuse, N. Y., where she intends staying a couple of weeks.

—The new ventilators at the Mason school building have been finished and capped above the roof this week.

—Mr. Chas. Estey of Oak Hill amputated one of the fingers of his left hand while chopping wood one day this week.

—Mrs. Goodspeed and Miss Ida Goodspeed have returned this week from Cape Cod, where they have been visiting.

—Mr. James Newell and family returned on Wednesday from North Scituate, where they have had a cottage for the summer.

—Mr. D. H. McWain is removing his goods from the store started by him one year ago to his old store in the same block.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Williams of Centre street are spending the week at Needham, visiting Mrs. Williams' father, Dr. Leach.

—The apple tree near Farnum's block, from which blossoms were picked a couple of weeks ago, has yielded a second crop of green apples.

—Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Amos E. Lawrence have returned from a few weeks at Seal Harbor, Me., where they greatly enjoyed their vacation.

—One of A. A. Sherman & Co.'s wagons was upset and the shafts broken by the usually docile animal which draws it, last Wednesday night.

—W. O. Knapp & Co. offer Cobb, Bates & Yerxa's corn flour, and also call attention to their Diamond Creamery Butter. See advertisement.

—Rev. Gilbert R. Brackett, D. D., of Charleston, S. C., will preach at the Congregational church, Sunday morning. Services begin at 10 o'clock.

—Mr. H. S. Williams took passage for the White Mountains, Tuesday, on one of the Raymond excursions, for a short vacation, returning tomorrow.

—Mr. Geo. F. Richardson, Mr. Wells Polly and Mr. Wm. Ball (Mr. W. Appleton's superintendent) were noticed at the Beacon Park races on Monday.

—Dr. Bigelow, Messrs. Wiswell, Carey and some others of Oak Hill were trying to make hay the first of the week, some of it had been cut one or two weeks.

—Mr. S. L. Pratt's depot carriage, driven by Chas. Dudley, has just come out of the paint shop and is in first class condition to serve the Newton Centre public.

—Several new houses are appearing in this village. Mr. Samuel D. Garey is building one for himself on Pleasant street, which is fast nearing completion.

—A new meat block from Wm. G. Bell & Co., Boston, has been placed in Mr. G. F. Richardson's meat market, making at once an attractive as well as useful article of furniture.

—Hon. Alden Speare was one of the vice-presidents at large at the Republican state convention, and Hon. Levi C. Wade represented this district on the committee on resolutions.

—Councilman A. H. Roffe's stable, when finished, will be the largest and probably the finest in Newton Centre. Two large cupolas have been built this week, one on each end of the roof.

—The clock on the Mason school building, which had struck for a week—or more properly had refused to strike—was again set at work at 4 p. m., Tuesday, after being thoroughly cleaned and oiled.

—Rev. E. C. Alden, D. D., and Rev. Wm. Butler, D. D., will address a union missionary meeting at the Baptist church, Newton Centre, Sunday evening, Sept. 29. The public are cordially invited.

—Rev. Theodore Holmes has not been able to occupy his pulpit for two weeks on account of ill health. Rev. Mr. Furber preached last Sunday and the week before Rev. Mr. Boynton took his place.

—There will be evening services in the Unitarian church next Sunday in addition to the usual morning service, beginning at 7 o'clock. Rev. Edward F. Hayward of Chicago will conduct both services. Sunday school at 12 o'clock.

—Mr. F. J. Salsman, of the senior class at the Institute, has secured a position this winter as teacher of bible lessons and wood carving at the Jackson College, Jackson, Miss. Mr. Salsman will return next year to resume his studies in this place.

—The list of advertised letters for this week are Mr. Joseph Chase, Mrs. Robert R. Dyer, Mr. Joseph McCalland, Miss Katherine McFarlar, Miss Kattie McFarlane, Mr. T. L. Roberts, Mr. Daniel T. Sullivan, Mr. Frank S. Trefetham, Mr. F. H. Thompson, Mr. Granville P. Wilson, Mr. A. O. Wheeler.

—Mr. William Bemis, of Bemis & Jewett, painters, while at work, Friday of last week, on the Home, slipped and fell from the staging to the ground. He struck on a pile of boards, breaking two ribs and an arm and fracturing his wrist. He was conveyed to the Newton Cottage Hospital, where he is improving slowly.

—Miss Jennie Peck has secured the position of bookkeeper at the State Insane Asylum, Westboro, after a very creditable examination. Miss Peck passed the civil service examination here in Newton, then in Boston in competition with twenty others, showing superiority for the position over all the other applicants. Col. I. F. Kingsbury was also instrumental in securing the position for her, and it is a compliment to both that she has been awarded the place.

—The program for the celebration of the coming 225th anniversary of the First church has been essentially determined upon. On Sunday, Oct. 6th, there will be a service of exercises at the church, the historical addresses by Dr. Furber, pastor emeritus, and Rev. T. J. Holmes, also a gathering of the Sunday school, including past and present members. On Monday evening there will be various addresses from many former members, and prominent invited guests, from in and out of town. Associates Hall has been hired for the celebration on Monday. The church will be decorated for the occasion by a competent committee, and the chapel will be devoted to memorials and articles of interest that have been loaned to the committee for that purpose. The regular church choir welcomes to its ranks, for the occasion, all who have ever sat in the "singing seats," and the chorals will contain some forty or fifty persons, who are now being trained under the efficient leadership of the well known clerk of our city, Col. I. F. Kingsbury, ably assisted by the popular organist of the church, George H. Brown. We will endeavor to give full details of the program to our readers in our next week's issue. It would not be surprising if the largest audiences the "meeting house" has ever seen were present.

### NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Woodman's base ball puzzle at Brickett's.

—Mrs. Gilbert has gone on a trip to the Mountains.

—The Chautauquans meet next Monday with Mr. G. S. Bryant.

—Mr. James Cooney has had his house raised up in order to secure a dry cellar.

—The first meeting of the Monday Club will be held next Monday at Mrs. Phipps' at 3:30 o'clock.

—Miss Mary E. Hyde is in Somerville visiting Miss Mary E. Chapin, a former resident of this place.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Spear will give up housekeeping and will take rooms and board at Mr. J. S. Keller's boarding house.

—Rev. W. H. Phipps, who has been spending some time here, left for Connecticut on Thursday. He is a brother of Rev. Geo. G. Phipps.

—Rev. Joshua Colt, D. D., preached on Home Missions last Sunday in the Congregational church. The collection amounted to over \$200.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taisey of the Highlands have as their guests Mrs. E. P. Kittredge and child of Lowell. Mrs. Kittredge is a sister of Mrs. Taisey.

—The Congregational sewing circle next Wednesday will meet with Mrs. W. C. Strong's at Waban. A collation will be served in the evening to which the gentlemen are invited.

—Mr. T. D. Sullivan has the enlargement to his house completed. Mr. Sullivan has now a well arranged and a much improved appearance is presented.

—Mr. T. W. Mullen, the village blacksmith, is having his new house pushed rapidly forward and when completed will greatly improve the appearance of the neighborhood.

—Letters at post office Sept. 23: Jennie Maud Austin, Maggie Burke, Eunice W. Blackington, Mary A. Bemis, Martin Dorsey, George Gorton, Mr. Mara, Mary H. Peirce, Herbert Sullivan, and Mr. Laffy (painter).

—The services of Mr. H. E. Munroe, a gentleman eminent for the great success he has attained as an instructor in dancing, deportment and etiquette, have been secured for the school which will be held in Lincoln Hall, commencing Oct. 1st.

—There have been quite a number of cases of malaria. Among the number were a daughter of Mr. Newcomb, and Mr. B. Stronach, a member of his family, also Mr. Bird, the father of Mr. E. Bird, Mr. H. P. Ayer, also Mrs. Richard Wright, who is now quite ill.

—The boom for building at Eliot has at last begun, the foundations for four houses are in progress, the contractors are from Boston, Messrs. Lanfair & Beals. John P. Keating has charge of the work on cellars and grading, also the construction of the new streets.

—The Merrill house, lately purchased by Mr. Knight, is being painted and decorated by Mr. Randall with alterations and repairs being made to make it a very desirable residence. The regrading of the grounds is being done by Mr. John P. Keating in a superior manner.

—Mr. C. H. Young, who is sojourning at Revere, has been at the Highlands a day or two this week, somewhat improved in health. He is endeavoring to sell his house and furniture and go West for his health and if he finds the change beneficial will probably make his home there.

—Mr. Moulton will have his store enlarged by adding the room now occupied by Mr. Kempton as a shoe store. Mr. Kempton will take the remaining unoccupied store in the block and is now having the same fitted up and will occupy Oct. 1st. We hear that the stores are to be heated by steam instead of furnaces as at present.

—The citizens of Newton Highlands will hold a meeting in the small hall in Stevens' building next Thursday evening at half past seven o'clock to consider the question of organizing a society for the discussion of matters of public interest and for providing lectures and other entertainments. Every one interested is cordially invited to come.

—The congregation of the Newton Highlands church is invited to attend the celebration of the 225th anniversary of the foundation of the Congregational church at the Centre, on Monday, Oct. 7, at 3 and 7 o'clock at 5.30. The exercises will consist of addresses and other exercises appropriate to such an occasion, closing with an address by Rev. Dr. McKenzie, pastor of the parent church at Cambridge.

—Four barge loads and several private carriages conveyed one hundred or more ladies and gentlemen to Needham on Tuesday evening and ended their trip at the commodious house of Mr. E. G. Pond. After exchanging congratulations with the family, they proceeded to the barn where a luncheon was the first thing in order, which was entered into heartily and much enjoyed, although red ears were scarce. Afterwards a most bountiful collation was partaken of. Following this those who were

so inclined enjoyed themselves for an hour in dancing. The whole affair was a grand success.

—The young ladies' Mission Circle held their entertainment in the small hall Wednesday evening. There were bags of all kinds for sale. There were games of bean-bag and bagatelle to play. There were bag races run by boys, and there was the auction of the mysterious ladies of Bagdad. These ladies were dressed in bags made of sheets, and over their heads were brown paper bags, with fantastic faces painted on them. They were auctioneered and not unveiled till claimed by the bidders, when much merriment was caused. Ice cream and cake were served during the evening. The hall was tastefully decorated with flags and Japanese lanterns. The profits from the evening were over fifty dollars.

—A new club has been organized at the Highlands, to be composed of ladies and gentlemen, and plans are now being prepared for the winter's work. It is probable that the club will meet once a fortnight, and spend part of the evening in general literary work, or entertainment, the remainder of the time to be spent in a social way. The officers are Dr. C. Burr, president; Mrs. J. R. Smith, vice president; J. W. Scandlin, secretary; Miss M. A. Braddon, treasurer; executive committee, J. R. Burr, Esq., Mrs. W. S. Small, Mrs. W. L. Burr, Mrs. H. W. Taylor. As the club will meet at the residence of its members, its membership will necessarily be limited, and to avoid the slightest rivalry with the other clubs in the Highlands, the "Monday Club" and "Chautauquans," none of their members have been invited to join the new one. The name for the club will be selected at the next meeting, which will be held at the residence of J. R. Smith, Esq., on Monday evening, October 7th.

### NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Mr. Melvin Gould is enjoying a vacation.

—Mr. Wm. Baneroff has been quite ill for a week.

—Miss Richardson of Whitman is in town visiting friends.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Thompson are receiving congratulations.

—Postmaster Billings expects to occupy his new house by Nov. 1st.

—Mr. Edward Cooper returned from his Washington trip on Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hoyt are visiting the latter's sister at Cambridge.

—Mr. W. O. Colburn has returned from his trip to the White Mountains.

—Mr. Benjamin Randall has been quite seriously ill, but is now improving.

—Mrs. Capt. Hardy and son John, of San Domingo, are visiting in town.

—Mr. C. M. Carpenter of Brooklyn, N. Y., is here on business for a few days.

—Thomas Galvin has bought a good looking colt, raised in New Hampshire.

—Two children of Mr. Markey are just getting over a severe attack of malaria.

—Miss Abbie Green and daughter, Miss Latilla, are visiting in Providence, R. I.

—Mr. and Mrs. Rogers Linton are on a visit to friends at Cottage City this week.

—Dr. Grant of Medfield, a former resident here, is visiting among his old friends.

—Echo Bridge Council, Royal Arcanum, has initiated several new members of late.

—Miss Pettee, daughter of Alderman Pettee, who has been ill, is slowly recovering.

—Mr. E. C. Frost and family are visiting in Providence and Newport, R. I., this week.

—A party of young people made a visit to Echo bridge at midnight last week and had a merry time.

—Mrs. Laton of Boston is spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Bateman, on Winter street.

—A large party went to hear the band concert at Waltham last week, in J. B. Newell's barge.

—Miss Mary Maynard of Hingham and a former resident of the Falls, is teaching school at Wellesley.

—A large number attended the races at Beacon Park this week, including several of our business men.

—Parties are negotiating with Mr. Fred Gates for the purchase of house lots on his land on Circuit avenue.

—Miss Alfred E. Kempton and daughter, Miss Libby, returned this week from their summer at Nova Scotia.

—Quinobegun Association holds its quarterly election the first Monday in October which comes Oct. 7th.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Brown are entertaining their son, Mr. Henry Brown of Saco, Me., at present.

—Complaints are rife about the village with regard to the delay in getting the incandescent lights running.

—The Pettee Machine company are erecting an electric light plant, for the purpose of lighting the works.

—Mr. Chas. Randall of Boylston street has accepted a position with the American Tool company of Boston.

—Mr. R. T. Sullivan is introducing one of the F. Pease Furnace Co.'s stoves and hot air heating apparatus into his house.

—The love feast at the Methodist church, Tuesday, was well attended, Newton, Newtonville and Auburndale being well represented.

—Miss Ella Curtis, a recent graduate of the State Normal school at Salem, has taken a position as pupil teacher with Miss Stutz.

—Rev. Mr. Holman, who is supplying the Baptist pulpit, has removed his family from Norwich, Ct., to Boston, and the next thing hoped for here is that he will move here to reside.

—An unusually large number visited Echo bridge last Tuesday. The bridge seems to be a never failing source of enjoyment, and there have been more visitors of late than usual.

—Mr. Edward M. Billings has taken a short trip to the White Mountains and Mount Washington, to prepare him for the coming winter. They have had considerable snow up there already.

—Next Sunday is Harvest Sunday at the Methodist church. On Monday evening there is to be a Harvest concert, followed by an English tea, in which everything will be "English, you know." A nice time is expected, and anticipations in such a cause should be realized.

—Mr. Thomas Belger, the blacksmith, has applied for a patent for a method of sharpening the ends on horses' shoes without taking them off the animal. This will be a great saving of time and expense to teamsters and others who need sharp shoes nearly all the time during the winter.

### NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—Mr. Dennis Oliver, grocer, has removed to his residence in Wellesley Hills.

—Mr. Jesse Baneroff has severed his connection with the Dudley Mills as boss dyer.

—Mr. F. E. Jones, fireman on the branch, is to visit Canada next week, his former home.

—Mr. Charles Rice has been confined to his house the past two weeks. He is now able to be about.

—Mr. Frank Ford of Lowell, who formerly resided here, is visiting his brother, Mr. C. F. Ford, Sup't. of the Dudley Mills.

—New corner stones are being set on the corner of Beacon and Washington streets, opposite the residence of Mr. L. E. Leland.

—Mr. George Saunders, barber, at present located at Wellesley Hills, has purchased Mr. Chamber's tonsorial business here.

—A citizen of Wellesley lost a check amounting to \$80 somewhere about this village Monday, and has up to the present time been unable to find it.

—Dr. D. Wheeler, a graduate of the Boston University School of Medicine, will open an office at the residence of Mr. H. Faxon Atherton, next Monday.

—H. A. Allison, brakeman on the branch train, died on Thursday noon after a brief illness of typhoid fever. The remains were taken to his home in Nova Scotia for interment.

—A poverty party will be given by ladies of the M. E. church next Tuesday evening in the basement of the church. The proceeds will go to defray the expenses of the new church.

—Mr. Sanborn is putting a new turbine wheel of the Hunt pattern in Sullivan's mill. This wheel is similar to the one put in by Mr. Sanborn at E. L. Crandall's paper works at Newton Upper Falls.

—Work upon the new church is progressing rapidly. The basement is now completed and meetings of the society, parties for the benefit of the church, and all business of the church will take place here in the future.

—The new altar given by Mr. Slack of New Bedford has been placed in the chancel of St. Mary's church this week and will be dedicated on Sunday morning next (the festival of St. Michael and all Angels). It will be used for the first time in the celebration of the Holy Communion. Services at 10.45 a. m. and 3.15 p. m.

—About half the huge ledge at Rice's crossing is removed and about six months more will be required for the remainder. It is stated that the B. & A. R. R. will take rapid steps and straighten the road here. This is done, the new station can be looked for, as accommodations for passengers are at present very poor here.

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